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## JOHN KEELY'S

THE LOWEST YET

## THE LEADER OF LOW PRICES.

Still a Later,

Still a Deeper

Prices lower than even those of last week. This last reduction in

Not one of these Cloaks shall be ere to usher in the New Year.

Notice the Latest Prices

This Last Reduction in Prices was Effected Only

YESTERDAY. The coming week to be largely employed in

Slaughtering Cloaks at JOHN KEELY'S.

56 Misses' Cloaks, 16-year-old size, 75c. each; reduced from \$2.

6 and 8 year's sizes, Misses' Cloaks, \$2.50 each; reduced from \$5.

6, 8, 10, 12 and 16 year's sizes, Misses' Cloaks, \$3.75 each; reduced from \$7.50 each, and same sizes, another lot, \$5 each; reduced from

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

SOMETHING MARVELOUS.

A large lot of all wool diagonal garments, long shapes, elaborately trimmed in fine Fur-a beautiful cloak-\$2.95 each; goods worth \$10

Nothing like this Bargain has ever been shown here.

Have Only a Handful of Cloaks Left! I AM SELLING THEM WITHOUT REGARD TO COST OR VALUE!

I am highly satisfied with the Cloak trade of this season up to this time, and can afford to "give away" the stock of Cloaks now on hand, and am now doing so.

Anything Rather. Than to Carry Them Over !

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Embracing Ladies' fine Berlin Twilled Newmarkets, Ladies fine Knickerbocker Newmarkets, Ladies' fine French Boucle Newmarkets.

All! Every One Fine, Extra Fine Goods!

WILL BE CLOSED OUT AT

One lot of Ladies' Black Cloth Newmarkets, \$2.50 each, reduced from \$5.50.

One small lot Ladies' Fine Plaid Newmarkets, half price!

TWA few Ladies' Gray Chinchilla Circulars, reduced to less than half

**EXtraordinary Offerings** 

CLOAKS

20 Ladies' black cloth Cloaks, \$1 each; well trimmed, and intended to sell at \$3.75.

37 Ladies' comfortable and handsome black beaver cloth Cloaks, \$1.75 each, worth \$4.

56 Ladies' black cloth Cloaks' handsome Passamenterie Trimmed, \$2.25 each, worth \$5.

One large lot of fine Russian Circulars, \$6.50; reduced from \$12.50. They shall be sold.

I have a few fine long Plush Sacques for Ladies left. Come and see if I don't slaughter them. I'll do it, certainly.

I have only about ten Ladies fine Plush Jackets on hand. I will "Divide them out" regardless of

No Hope too Sanguine!

No Wish Too Extravagant!

No Desire Too Far-fetched!

But what it will be met here in quality as well as the price of Cloaks, owing to the determination on the part of the proprietor to com-pletely close out the Entire Cloak

John Keely's.

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PRICES ON FINE GOODS "TRAMPLE

UNDER FOOT" NOW.

No "Sentiment" Whatever Indulged In

Not One Yard of Them Will be Carried Over.

\$1.25 Dress Goods now 85c., and less in many cases. \$1 Dress Goods now 65c., and less in many cases.

85c. Dress Goods now 50c., and less in many cases. 75c. Dress Goods now 45c., and less in many cases.

Dress Goods! Dress Goods ALMOST GIVEN AWAY.

60c. Dress Goods now 35c. a yard, to close out. 5oc. Dress Goods now 3oc. a yard, o close out.

35c. Dress Goods now 20c. yard, to close out.

A beautiful lot of double width Cashmeres, 121/2c a yard, 15c a yard, 20c a yard and 25c a yard. Superb assortment of colors!

## 100 PIECES

Very pretty Winter Colors in "Cotton Worsted" Dress Goods, 33/4c yard, reduced from 7c a yard.

"Stick a Pin in This!"

If you or your friends have Dress Goods to purchase this week, COME TO JOHN KEELY'S, for his

special offerings this week, particularly in fine goods, excel in interest anything and everything previously offered in Atlanta. This is a de termined closing out sale of his winter goods.

SUPERB VALUES **BLACK DRESS GOODS** 

Priestly's Henrietta Cloths, in six grades! French Dress Goods in every variety of Weave! 100 pieces of different styles and qualities in fine French Black Dress

Goods! The largest and best stock of

Black Dress Goods in Atlanta!

French Cashmeres.

A new lot of 100 pieces Black

They are in Jet and Blue Black in

JUST OPENED!

500 very pretty Breakfast Shawls, 25c each. 250 beautiful Breakfast Shawls

106 superb Breakfast Shawls 50c each.

350 different colors and grades of Cashmere Shawls. A fine line of Black Cashmere

About 200 Square Shawls, a job lot, will be given away at less than

CLOSING OUT THE

Entire Line of Gloves

STUPENDOUS BARGAINS IN KID GLOVES 108 dozen Ladies' Black and

Colored Kid Gloves, 35c pair, reduced from 50c a pair. 114 dozen Ladies' Black and Colored Kid Gloves, 45c a pair, reduced

67½ dozen Ladies' Black and Colored Kid Gloves, 85c a pair, reduced from \$1.50 a pair.

yesterday from 75c a pair.

No such bargains in Kid Gloves have ever been offered before in the outh, but the determi close them out, hence the fearful loss caused by the cut prices.

ALSO

23 dozen Child's fine Buck Gauntets, 10c. a pair; worth 75c.

This Price is Simply Ridiculous for This Glove.

Too many "Blankets," so I shall have to insert the knife pretty deep into the prices of this desirable arti-

165 pair 10-4 White Blankets 85c

pair, reduced from \$1.25 to close

100 pair 10-4 White Blankets \$1.15 pair, reduced from \$2.25 to

78 pair 10-4 White Blankets \$1.50 pair, reduced from \$2.75 to close

63 pair 10-4 White Blankets \$1.75 pair, reduced from \$3.00 to close

A superb line of finer grade White Blankets, which will "be handled with gloves off" as to price, in order to close them out.

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Silk Handkerchiefs,

By the thousand, at very Attractive

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THE BEE HIVE.

Every Department loaded with new goods suitable for both sexes and

The Bee Hive will eclipse all others in Novelties and Low Prices.

Handkerchiefs for Men, Women and Children in Linen and Silk. Outside garments ices just cut to sell them. They must be sold.

Dress Goods prices reduced to meet the wants of all. What more useful article for a Xmas sent than a nice New Dress.

By reading our notice below in this ad., you will see that we make a special offering for Monday. It is a chance of a lifetime. Think and consider well. Would not your wife like a Silk Dress? If so, come at once and secure one of these real bargains.

MOURNING GOODS.

Table Linens and Towels

Blankets and White Ouilts.

One price made on our entire stock of Short Wraps and Dolmans. These will include our Fine Imported Garments. At the price we shall name, will make them the greatest bargains ever offered in the history of the Dry Goods trade of Atlanta. The price we shall make on the entire lot will be \$5.00 each. There are 110 garments, and comprise the best and most stylish garments offered this season.

These garments are lined with elegant fancy satins, tailor-made, and will include;
LOT 1. Our finest, all silk, fancy brocaded garments, satin lined; regular selling price \$25; reduced to \$5 each.

LOT 1. Our linest, all sits, lailey broaders garments, satin lined, that we have sold LOT 2. The best style and quality in Novelty Garments, satin lined, that we have sold until this mark down for \$15, \$17.50 and \$20; now reduced to \$5 each.

LOT 3. Will be our fine quality, Plush Garments, satin lined, trimmed with fur, regular selling price \$17.50; reduced to \$5. Remember these are all new goods. At the price we name it is literally giving the garments away. This price is for your choice—first come, first served. Come early; they won't last long, and never again will such an opportunity present itself.

Black Silks, Black Silks FOR TO-MORROW.

Some weeks ago we purchased the entire stock of manufacture of short lengths in the finest and best quality of Black Silks and sold them at \$1.19 per yard, which caused a great excitement. To-morrow we shall offer the balance, 27 dress patterns, from 12 yards to 22½ in a pieces at \$1 per yard. Actual value of each piece is \$1.75, \$2, \$2, \$2.25 and \$2.50 per yard, from the whole piece. Every yard we guarantee as represented. We advise all to call early.

10 pieces Black, real French Bunting, 44-inch wide, usual price 87½c, per yard; price for tomorrow will be 50c, yard.

500 dozen French Satin Damask Towels, elegant styles, largest sizes; others sell them at 75c, each; "Bee Hive" price until Xmas, 37½ each.

275 dozen elegant quality Towels at 8½, 10, 12½, 17, 19, 20 and 25c each, correct articles for Xmas.

Xmas.

Table Damask and Napkins, special bargains for the holidays. Blankets, special prices for the holidays.

HOSIERY.

Ladies' full regular Ingrain Hose, half stripes, 19c pair, regular price 25c dozen Ladies' Hose, all wool, black and colors, full regular made price 40c.
50 dozen Children's all wool Cashmere Hose, full regular made, in black and col

50 dozen Children's all wool Cashmere Hose, full regular made, in black and colors, at 25c pair, usual price 50c.

10 dozen Children's Hose, all wool, 15c pair.

Men's all wool Half Hose in black and colors, 25c pair; Men's British Half Hose, 12jq pair; Men's Seamless Half Hose, 10c.

Underwear---Five Special Bargains for Xmas Week.

10 dozen Ladies' Vests and Pants, 37½c, usual price 50c each.
40 dozen Ladies' Vests and Pants, our regular 85c quality, now reduced to 50c.
10 dozen Gents' Scarlet Shirts and Drawers, 58c, regular price 31.50.
20 dozen Ladies' Scarlet Shirts and Drawers, 75c, regular price 81.25 each.
30 dozen Gents' Canada Gray Knit Shirts and Drawers, 50c, regular price 75c.
The above values offered in Underwear cannot be duplicated. Come early if you desire

Worthy of Notice—An Open Letter.

BOSTON, Mass., December 2, 1837.—Messrs. Eagleston Bros., 30 Whitehall St., Atlanta, Ga.: A just appreciation of your ability for disposing of good, together with an unbounded interest in your success, leads us to place at your disposal the greatest bargains ever known to the trade, viz: 430 dozen ladies' 5-button pink top, silk embroidered back, real Kid Gloves (not lamb skin) of our own importation and warranted as ropresented—REAL KID. These goods were imported by us to sell at \$1.25 per pair.

377 dozen ladies' Suedes, silk embroidered backs, imported by us to sell at \$1.25 is our best seller. We will make the price so as to enable you to sell these two great lots at 50 cents pair, if you so desire. They would be a bargain at \$1.00, as they were imported, as we before stated, to sell at \$1.25 per pair.

We feel sure that you will use these two lots of gloves as a "Xmas" benefit to your customers, and sell them at 50 cents per pair. The actual loss we have taken on those goods is tremendous, but we were overstocked, and desired to sell them out, and so have given you the preference among our thousands of customers. Trusting that this lot of goods may give to you and your customers the greatest amount of rejoicing, we are with best wishes,

SIMPSON & CO.

The above lot of Gloves which Mr. Simpson has placed at our disposal, we shall put on our counters tomorrow morning promptly at 8 o'clock, and offer them at the nominal price of 50c per pair, and to enable us to distribute them as widely as possible, we shall limit the sale to 5 pairs to any one customer. These goods, we can assure our friends and customers, are of great value and are the best that we have yet had the pleasure of offering to our trade.

At the same time we shall offer 75 dozen Ladies' Fine Cashmere Gloves, with Silk Embroidered Backs, at 15c pair; usual price 35c.

The Bee Hive Handkerehief Dept. Announcement

The largest and most complete assortment of Linen and Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers ever offered for sale in this city for Ladies', Gents' and Children. Novelties which include the latest products of America, Ireland, China, Japan and France, at prices 50 per cent lower than the common grades and style goods can be purchased for at other stores. Ladies' Handkerchiefs from 1 cent to \$5 each. THE BEE HIVE. Some of the bargains found in our Handkerchief Department of Department.

chiefs from 1 cent to \$5 each. THE BEE HIVE. Some of the bargains found in our Hand-kerchief Department.

1,000 dozen Children's fancy bordered Handkerchiefs at 10c. per dozen.

1,000 dozen Gents' white, full size, Linen Handkerchiefs. at 6;c. each; regular price 15c.

500 dozen Ladies' Fine Sheer Handkerchiefs, with fancy borders, at 5c. each; worth 10c.

100 dozen Ladies' fancy bordered Handkerchiefs at 3c. each; others ask 5c. for them.

100 dozen White Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs at 12;c. each.

Mufflers from 25c. to \$5 each. It is a fact that we have not only the largest and best variety in the city, but our prices are 50 per cent cheaper.

Don't purchase your Handkerchiefs outside of The Bee Hive.

Don't fail to see the Beautiful Novelties for Xmas in the Art Department at The Bee Hive These goods are entirely new and caunot be found in other stores.

Mouchoir Cases in Satin, Celluloid, Chamois and Plush.
Glove Cases in Celluloid and Plush.
Beautiful Embroidered Plush Foot Rests.
Elegant Table Scarfs and Table Covers. Embroidered Tollet Sets.
Novelties in Celluloid goods, in Jewel Cases, Hair Pin Holders, Pin Cushions, Card Cases, and other articles too numerous to mention.

We wish to call special attention to our line of Imported French Baskots. These goods are all decorated beautifully, and are the latest novelties for Xmas.

Everyone should see these goods, and they can be seen only at The Bee Hive.
We shall open on Tuesday a large line of Indian and Japanese Baskets, which will be closed out very cheap, on account of late arrival.

Our line of China Silks in plain and fancy, is unsurpassed in the city. The goods are very desirable for all kirds of fancy work, and are being sold very cheap.

Our line of Tidles is immense, and we have an endless variety of designs and colors. Brocade Tidles, 20c; Elegant Oriental Tidles, 50c; Silk Delhi Tidles and Scarfs at Si and Sl.25.

These goods formerly sold at \$1,75 and \$2, but are all marked down to close out before Xmas.

Silk Scarfs for decorating, stamped with gold, and very handsome, only 75c. Do not fail to see these elegant goods.

Worsteds and Yarns of all kinds and colors. Plush Balls and Ornaments of every shade and style. Chenille Cords, Tinsel Cords, Embroidery Silks, Rope Silks, Gold Thread, Arasene, Riblossone and everything needed for Embroidery.

Scarfs, Etc.

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I gratefully acknowledge a cure of Eczema, o salt Rheum, on head, neck, face, arms, and leg for seventeen years, not able to walk except on hands and knees for one year; not able to help my-melf for eight years; tried hundreds of remedies; Goctors pronounced my case hopeless; permanently cured by the Cuticura Remedies.

WILL McDONALD.

2542 Dearborn Street, Chicago, Ill.

Some five months ago I had the pleasure to inform you of my improvement in the use of the Cutroua Remedies in my case of severe Chronic Extended the said. I consider my cure perfect and complete, and attribute it entirely to your remedies, having used no others.

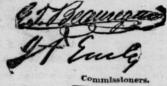
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By an overwhelming popular vote its franchise
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The only lotters ever voted on and indorsed by
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It never scales or postpones.
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### BILL ARP.

What He Thinks of the Tariff Question.

UNCLE SAM AND PROTECTION. resident Cleveland's Message and His Opinion of It - Words of Wisdom From the Backwoods Philosopher.

"Papa, what is all this fuss in the papers about the tariff, What is the tariff, any-

"Well, my children, there is a rich old gen-leman whom the people call Uncle Sam, and he has a big plantation and lots of land and he has a very large family of boys, most of whom are farmers. But one boy by the name of Crispin took a notion to shoe making, and another named Vulcan took a notion to make another named Vulcan took a notion to make iron, but they couldn't make enough shoes and iron to do the farmers, and so some outsiders came along and began to undersell Crispin and Vulcan, and Uncle Sam got mad about it. Crispin was selling his shoes at \$2 a pair, but these outsiders proposed to sell their's at \$1 a pair, and the other boys wanted to buy them, but Uncle Sam said: No, Crispin can't make them at that price and make any money, so he made the outsiders pay one dellar a pair on every pair of shoes they brought to the plantation, and he took that dollar and put it in his pocket. Then the that dollar and put it in his pocket. Then the outsiders had to ask two dollars for their shoes, just like Crispin was doing. You see, the old man had to oversee all the boys and he paid himself for doing it out of this money. Just so he made the outside iron menlpay him six dollars a ton on every ton of iron they brought and wouldn't allowithem to sell it any cheaper than Vulcan was selling it.

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Now all this money that Uncle Sam got from the outsiders is called the tariff. But the farmer boys have never liked it, and want to trade with outsiders and get things cheap. Uncle Sam charges these outsiders something on most everything they bring and he is getting rich—very rich. It is now a hundred millions a year more than he has any use for, and so the farmer boys are making a big fuss and want the tariff reduced so that they can get their goods cheap."

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"But, papa, why can't Crispin and Vulcan work as cheap as the outsiders?"

"My children, there is where all the trouble comes in. These outsiders get their labor at fifty cents a day, and it is barely enough to live on. Their laborers are so many that they will work for almost nothing rather than starve. They have poor feed and poor clothing and live in shanties, and their little children nearly freeze in the winter and have a hard time, but Crispin and Vulcan pay their hands a dollar a day, and Uncle Sam says that is right, and he won't allow any poor people to suffer of his plantation." suffer of his plantation.

"But, papa, why don't Crispin and Vulcan quit their business and go to farming too, and then these outsiders could come in and sell their shoes and their iron cheap to the farm-

"Because, my children, there are so many farmers now they can hardly live. Crispin and Vulcan and all their workmen now buy corn, and flour, and meat from the farmers, and that helps a good deal; but if everybody was farming there would be nobody to buy from them, and these outsiders would soon put their shoes away up to three dollars a pair, for they would have no competition. Competion is a good thing, and keeps business lively and prosperous all round. Then there is another reason why Crispin and Vulcan don't ouit. All their money is in their business, and if they quit it they lose it. They don't know anything about farming, and they couldn't

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The world moves and so does the nation. Mr. Cleveland's message has shaken her up and semething is going to be done. We have been brooding and fussing over this tariff question a long time but it is coming to a focus. Mr. Cleveland is the people's president and the people demand a reduction. Wo be to the man or the party that says 'nay.' Ten million surplus a month is an outrage. One hundred and twenty millions a year drawn from the people and locked up in the treasury. Uncle Sam is mean to his children, mean as a dog. Who ever heard of a father getting rich off of his children after that fashian. I paid a dollar and a half for Carl's hat and two dollars for his long pants and I'm mad about it. I could have bought them in England or Germany for half the money. I'm writing on a letter pad now that cost me twenty-five cents, and if it wasn't for the tariff I could have bought it for fifteen. Plague take the tariff. I want it taken off of clothing right away. I've sold my sheep and I want it taken off of for lismines, and now I want it taken off of pig-iron. I am opposed to protecting Joe Brown unless he protects me. When iron plants are planted at Cartersville, may-be I will be for protection, but I've got no infant industry now. We have quit the Infant business at my house. It takes these infant industries a powerful long time to get grown. I wonder if they will ever lave quit the infant business at my house. It takes these infant industries a powerful long time to get grown. I wonder if they will ever quit sucking the bottle, or get big enough to stand alone. When a man goes to one of these manufacturing cities, everybody is strutting around as big as watch, and the banks are full of money, and land is worth two hundred dollars a front foot but just let congress talk about reducing the tariif, and they scrooch up and pull asmall bottle from under their coat tails and go to sucking and whine out: "I'm an infant—a poor little infant—aint you gwine to protect me? Are you gwine to take away my pap and leave me an orlun?"

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But now, in all sincerity, this tariff business has got three or four sides to it, and it don't become any of us common folks to be concerted about it. For half a century it has perplexed the wisest statesmen of the nation. We admire Mr. Cleveland's pluck and his unselfish patriotism, but Mr. Cleveland knows no more about the tariff than Randall or Carlisle or Watterson or Pat Walsh or The Constitution, or a host of other thinking men. They have all studied it and pondered over it for years, and conscientiously differ about it. Calhoun and Clay and Webster differed, and so when I hear a small politician blowing his bugle horn and swearing he'll be dogond if it ain't thus and so I'm disgusted. One time a conceited young preacher called on Mr. Calhoun, who was very sick, and began right away to talk to him about religion and making preparation for death. Mr. Calhoun waved his haud for him to go and said "he presumes to instruct me on a subject that I have pondered all my life." But now, in all sincerity, this tariff business

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Let us have confidence in our statesmen, for many of them are away above party when the welfare of the nation is at stake. They will harmonize this thing in the best way possible. Nobody contends for free trade now. It will come sometime unless we lock our doors against immigration and the cheap labor of Europe, but we won't worry about that now. Everybody wants a reduction—everybody. The wool grower wants a reduction on everything but wool. The iron men want a reduction on everything but iron, and it is just so with the sugar planter, and glass manufacturer and every other industry that is projected. We are all just like Artenus Ward was about the war when he said the union must be preserved even if he had to sacrifice all his wife's brothers, and consins and uncles.

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There are a million wool growers who are making as big a fuss over the president's message as the bees make in a hive when you want a little of their honey. There are fifty millions of people in the nation and forty-nine millions say take a shee off of wool. There are two millions engaged in the iron and steel business and forty-eight millions say take a slice off of iron and so it goes all round. Birmingham boasts that she can make iron at nine dollars a ton, She is now selling it for eighteen and is protected against English iron by a duty of six dollars and fifty cents a ton. Reduce that duty to three dollars and Birmingham could still make money. She says she can. Her furnaces wouldn't stop nor wages be reduced but little, and that little would be more than compensated when the laborer could buy his hat and his blankets and his woolen shirt and his coat and his shoes and his molasses cheaper than he did before. Take a slice all round off of the necessaries of life, and if need be put it on the luxuries. The case of the sugar planter is the hardest of all, for it is buckle and tongue with him now. Sugar is cheap, very cheap, fourtren pounds to the dollar, and molasses there, and yet the government collected last year fifty-six mil-

liens of dellars from the duty on imported sugar and molasses. Just think of it. Twice as much as was collected on wool-and yet there are forty-nine million people howling for cheaper sugar. Let any man put the question to himself. Suppose you had your all invested in a sugar plantation and you could just barely live at the present low prices, what would you think of a government that would crush you? What would you think of your member of congress who voted for such a measure? And right there is the rub. The members of congress are going to stand by their constituents—and they ought to. It is going to be a political long suffering work to harmonize on any bill, especially on the eve of another presidential election. Mr. Cleveland has shown more disregard of his personal interests than any president since the days of Andrew Jackson. New York is the pivotal state, the key as it were, and New York is for protection, and Mr. Cleveland might have fudged and bridged over this question until the next election, but he won't fudge about anything. He is no dodger, and he will be received by the biggest magwump party that ever was known. He will lose lots of high tariff democrats, but he will gain more from those republicans who are for tariff reform. The masses of the American people are on the free-trade line, for the masses are farmers and others who get no protection, and they are very jealous of those who do. A farmer said to me the other day: "Why don't Uncle Sam pay me ten dollars bounty on every bale of cotton I raise? He pays Joe Brown six dollars and a half on every ton of pig iron, and I'm just as good as Joe Brown."

There is no sentiment about trade. The time was when there was a thriving wagon shop at every cross-roads in this country, but our people had no internal protection against the north. and so porthern

There is no sentiment about trade. The time was when there was a thriving wagon shop at every cross-roads in this country, but our people had no internal protection against the north, and so northern wagons came down and dried up these humble shops, and the workmen had to quit and try some other business. If a southern farmer canbuy a northern wagon for sixty dollars, he will not pay his nearest nabor sixty-five. Our wives will buy smuggled lace or linen from an old Irish woman for half the regular price if they can get it. Heard a hardware merchant ask a farmer if he wanted a bull-tongue plow for less than ten cents, and the farmer said: "Yes, I want it for a nickel if I can get it." Some Jews have just come to our fown with a big lot of clothing that they say they got from a fire, and the folks are just flocking there to get a four dollar coat for a dollar and ahalf. Our regular merchants are mad about it and want protection from all such interlopers, but they can't get it. Everybody wants protection for himself and his family. It is the same old prayer: "Oh, Lord, bless me and my wife, my son John and his wife—us four and no more."

Then there is the question about what to do with this internal infernal revenue. The farmer not only gets no protection or bounty on what he grows, but if he grows tobacco he is actually charged a duty of eight cents a pound on it, and a good deal of it can't be sold for much more than the tax. I don't blame Virginia and North Carolina for raising a how!. Then there is the whisky tax that nobody objects to. No, not even the man who drinks it, for he knows that he oughtent to do it, and is perfectly willing for everybody else to quit, and he wouldn't drink it himself if he was away off on a desert island where he couldn't get it. But what we do object to is the way it is collected. Rich men only can afford to make it under the expensive regulations of the government. The common man is ruled out. He may be fifty miles from a market for hii corn—too far to haul it—but he can't make

every man have an equal chance, money or no weapons—this prescution of the government licenses the rich weapons—this prescution of the poor man for doing what the government licenses the rich

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Well, I reckon that congress will harmonize this thing some way. I hope so. I sympathize with them. I do. I'm not mad with Randall nor Carlisle, but I sympathize with them, and I do hope they will pray over this business and fix it up. One thing is certain; they must stop that surplus. It is the people's money, and if congress can't do anything else they can give it back to the people. Pour it back in the jug. Give it back to the states according to population. Then Georgia will get about four millions a year, and that will runthe legislature that sits and sets so long and hatches nothing, and it will pay all our taxes and school our children. It will do all that and more.

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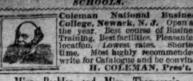
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"That—that horrible monster," explained

Renard, pointing to the tiger.

Perdita broke out into a peal of silvery

thing in the world. I love him, and he loves And as she made a sign the cub came forward and rolled over at her feet, purring lustily all the time.

Perdita seized Renard's hand and patted the tiger with it. The affectionate beast recog-nized in the visitor a friend, and proceeded to lick his hand. "Hum!" said the young man. "He seems, to be tame enough, and there may be no danger, but if I were you I would get rid of

"Never!" laughed Perdita; "but if he nnoys you I will send him away while you are She rang a bell, and a servant at once made

his appearance, and in obedience to her orders led the playful cub to another room. The lovers had a thousand things to talk over. Renard had just returned from Gerany, and much that Perdita had to say conerning her success, her plans and prospects was new to him. One thing, however, they managed to settle in a very short time. They eed that Perdita should fill a brief engage-

would bid farewell forever to the stage. 'Tonight, then," said Renard at parting. "You may expect me early. We must have a few minutes together before I accompany you

to the theater! Au revoir!" Perdita was dressed and awaiting Renard at

an early hour.
She found it difficult to pass the time, and went into the library to look at her lover's last new book, for Renard was among the rising young authors of Paris, and he had that morne young authors of Paris, and he had that more ing brought with him a volume of his poems. It made a pretty picture—this royally beautiful woman, as she sat there turning over the pages of the book, her face flushing with pleasure, and her eyes sparkling with delight. "He is a great poet!" she murmured softly. "And to think that he loves me! But for my one talent the world would never here here.

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She used the dagger impatiently and antwardly, and an unlucky stroke caused the point to scratch her snowy throat.

"What a misfortune!" she cried, as she ran to a mirror and saw the scatlet thread spane

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t him, and the two lovers embraced. "But Henri!" exclaimed the actress. are pale and trembling. Are you ill? Has any misfortune befallen you? Why do you greet me thus after a year's separation?" 'That-that horrible monster," explained

Renard, pointing to the tiger. Perdita broke out into a peal of silvery

"My pet!" she said; "the dearest, prettiest thing in the world. I love him, and he loves And as she made a sign the cub came for-

ward and rolled over at her feet, purring lustily all the time. ard's hand and patted the

tiger with it. The affectionate beast recognized in the visitor a friend, and proceeded to lick his hand. "Hum!" said the young man. "He seems

to be tame enough, and there may be no danger, but if I were you I would get rid of "Never!" laughed Perdita; "but if he

annoys you I will send him away while you are She rang a bell, and a servant at once made

his appearance, and in obedience to her orders led the playful cub to another room. The lovers had a thousand things to talk over. Renard had just returned from Germany, and much that Perdita had to say con-cerning her success, her plans and prospects was new to him. One thing, however, they managed to settle in a very short time. They agreed that Perdita should fill a brief engage ment, beginning that night, and then they would marry, and the favorite of the Parisians

would bid farewell forever to the stage. "Tonight, then," said Renard at parting. "You may expect me early. We must have a few minutes together before I accompany you to the theater! Au revoir!"

III. Perdita was dressed and awaiting Renard at

an early hour.
She found it difficult to pass the time, and went into the library to look at her lover's last new book, for Renard was among the rising young authors of Paris, and he had that morning brought with him a volume of his poems.

It made a pretty picture—this royally beautiful woman, as she sat there turning over the pages of the book, her face flushing with pleasure, and her eyes sparkling with delight. "He is a great poet!" she murmured softly.

"And to think that he loves me! But for my one talent the world would never have heard of me. And now after our long separation he of me. And now after our long separation is still the same, as tender and true as of old!"

She came to some uncut pages, and picking up something that looked like a jeweled dagger, but which was in reality a paper cutter presented to her by a royal duke, she proceeded to cut the pages.

to cut the pages. She used the dagger impatiently and awkwardly, and an unlucky stroke caused the

point to scratch her snowy throat.
"What a misfortune!" she cried, as she ran to a mirror and saw the scarlet thread spanning her throat.

'But it might have been worse," she contimed. "It will soon stop bleeding, and I can powder if or wear something to conceal it from my critical admirers before the footlights."

A musical purr filled the room with its

peculiar buzz "My pet!" she shouted with all the enthusiasm of a girl, "Weil, I must play with you now. When Henri comes you will have to be locked up. He is afraid of you, my pet; but I am not, am I?"

She stooped down and patted the cub on his glossy head. "What! Must he have his kiss?" she said. "Weil; he shall, and when Monsieur Henri comes he shall not know a thing about it. He shall kiss me just where you kissed me, so he shall, my pet!"

gently and lovingly into her eyes.

He rubbed his nose against her shoulder, and attempted to touch her cheek.

His eyes fell lower and he saw the scarlet fleck just under the white, dimpled chin.

What was the matter with the brute? A savage light flashed into his eyes. His purring ceased, and he gave a low growl as he showe his white teeth.

Perdita gave a startled cry as she attempted to rise and push the tiger back.

With an angry snarl the cub darted forward, and his mistress fell to the floor.

Ten minutes later Henri Renard with happy smile on his face stepped into the li-

At first he frowned. Had he caught Perdits romping with her pet? It looked like it. The two were lying on the floor in a heap.

A growl from the tiger. One look was enough. The cub had his teeth fastened in Perdita's throat, and he was sucking her life blook with the furious thirst the stream in

blood with a furious thirst that it seemed impossible to satisfy.

The animal released his victim when he

heard Renard's hoarse shout and turned upon Hardly knowing what he was doing, Renard

drew a pistol and fired. The tiger gave one bound and rolled over dead! It was too late. Renard knelt an instant by Perdita's side. He felt her cold, pulseless hand, and lost all consciousness, just as the frightened servants rushed in. "Aha!" said Tonson when he heard of it.

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West End, Ga., on December 17th, 1887, unless
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Respectfully, H. C. MORRISON.

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Yours truly, ZACHERY EDDY,
Former Pastor 1st Congregational Church.

Atlanta, Ga., Oct. 3, 1887.

Mr. A. K. Hawes, Atlanta, Ga.;

Dear Sur—I must acknowledge that great praise is due you for your skilful and scientific methods of adjusting glasses in complicated cases, where sight of one eye is different from the other. I am 78 years old, and had repeatedly tried other opticians, till I began to despair of being fitted. But the benefit I now receive from the glasses you adjusted to my eyes, is simply wonderful, considering my age. That I should ever have normal vision again is more than I expected. The ease and comfort which these glasses give me, is beyond my powers of expression.

I am, respectfully yours,

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From Hon. Joel A. Billups.

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Madison, Ga., April 20, 1887.

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eral Superintendent Orphan Asylum,

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THE SUPREME COURT

Decisions Rendered During the

Week.

REPORTED BY J. H. LUMPKIN-

Hon. L. E. Bleckley, Chief Justice and

Hons, M. H. Blandford and T. J.

Simmons, Associate Justices.

Decisions Rendered December 12, 1887.

Heavner vs. Saeger et al. Attachment from Dade, Auditors. Practice in Superior Court.

Fain.)
Blandford, J.—1. Where a case was re-

Blandford, J.—1. Where a case was referred to an auditor, who made his report, but had not returned it into court, there was no error in opening it and allowing a judgment to be set off, both parties being notified to appear for the hearing of further evidence.

2. Where a motion was made to re-refer a case to an auditor to take testimony on what the law of the state of the contract was, and thereupon counsel for both parties agreed to submit the matter to the judge instead of having it referred to the auditor, and agreed what

the law of that state was, it was no ground o

re-reference and that they were forced to make the consent in order to save time.

Judgment affirmed. W. H. Dabney; J. H. McLean, for plaintiff

in error.

McCutchen & Shumate, for defendants.

Phenix Insurance Co., of Brooklyn, vs. Ful-ton. Suit on policy, from Bartow. Insur-ance. Fraud. Liens. (Before Judge Fain.) Blandford, J.—Where insurance to the amount of \$1,000 was applied for and obtain-ed on a house shown to have been worth from

ed on a house shown to have been worth from \$1,200 to \$1,500 which was located on land worth from \$6,500 to \$10,000, in a suit on the policy there was no error in submitting to the jury the question whether or not it was a material misstatement in the application for insurance to say that there was no incumbrance on the insured property when, in fact, there was an incumbrance of \$500 on it and the land on which it was situated.

Judgment aftimed.

Fremont Cultivator Co. vs. McCamy. Complaint, from Murray. New Trial. (Before Judge Fain.)

Blandford, J.—Although there may have been two verdicts in favor of a defendant, yet where the verdict was clearly contrary to evidence, the court should have granted a second new trial.

Judgment reversed.
8. P. Maddox; McCutchen & Shumate, for plaintiff in error.
McCamy & Walker, for defendant.

Smith vs. Dobbins et al., executors. Claim, from Bartow. New Triak (Before Judge

Judgment affirmed.

John C. Reed, for plaintiff in error.

J. A. Baker, for defendant.

From a Distinguished Presbyterian

Mr. A. K. Hawkes:

Dear Sir—The glasses I procured from you are perfectly adapted to my condition of the eye. They enable me to read clearly the finest print with perfect ease. I recommend them to the public. Respectfully,

An endless number of testimonials could be given if we deemed it necessary, but our glasses are too well known throughout the country to demand it.

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R. B. HÜBBARD,

(Ex-Governor of Texas) Minister to Japan.

From Governor Ireland, of Texas.

From Governor Freeze,

To Mr. A. K. Hawkes:

Dear Sir—It gives me pleasure to say that I have been using your glasses for some time past with much satisfaction. For clearness, softness and for all purposes intended they are not surpassed by any that I have ever worn. I would commend them to all who want a superior glass. Very respectfully yours, From Ex-Governor W. R. Miller.

I find the Hawkes new Crystalized Lenses of superior quality, having worn them with great satisfaction.

W. R. MILLER, Ex-Governor of Arkansas. Bishop Episcopal Church and Chancellor of the University of the South.

SEWANEE, Tenn.. August 30, 1887.

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Sir—I have been using your glasses for the greater part of two years. Am much impressed with their superiority, and take pleasure in commending them for long use and perfect sight where that is possible. Respectfully,

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their mother, could rightfully take possossion of her lands after her death and sell the same. For heirs to intermeddle with realty, will not

for the defendants, or either of them, to receive them from the tenant; the rents consisting of wheat, corn, fodder, oats and cotton,
and being delivered in kind. To receive and
take care of rents payable in kind would be the
right and duty of heirs and distributees, and
in no wise inconsistent with the rights or interest of creditors or of any legal representative of the estate that might be thereafter appointed. These rents were of the value of
\$120, but no sale, use or conversion of them
by the defendants or either of them appears.
In Simms vs. Porter, Dudley's R., 167, the
crop was sold by the son after his mother's
death.

5. Although the mother was in possession of

5. Although the mother was in possession would not be her property but his, unless he chose to relinquish his rights to them. With proper pleadings, however, the rents as well as the land might be subjected to the payment of her debts if she had conveyed fradulently. Jones vs. McLeod. 61 Ga. 602.

6. According to the decision in Pendleton vs. Andrews, 70 Ga. 306, the note sued on was parred by the statute of limitations. The sui was brought November 15, 1883, the note hav-ing been due seven years, two months and three days. Deduct one month during which the payee's estate was unrepresented, one year, during which the defendants, if rightful year, during which the defendants, if rightful executors, were exempt from suit by statute, and there would be left six years, one month and three days; and the period allowed for suit on such evidence of debt being six years, the action was brought one month and three days too late. Pendleton vs. Andrews holds to the well established doctrine that, when the statute of limitations has commenced to the problem and the statute of statutes a statutory provision cover. run, nothing but a statutory provision or exception will arrest it; also that section 2928 ( ception will arrest it; also that section 2228 of the code applies to creditor estates, and has no application to debtor estates. This construction of the section is undoubtedly correct; and that on which the court acted in ruling Weitman vs. Thiop, 64 Ga. 16, is manifestly erroneous. And see a trace of like error, not perhaps leading to an incorrect decision, in Smith vs. Hudspeth, 63 Ga. 212.

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Smith vs. Hudspeth, 63 Ga. 212.

(a) It is not meant to say that if the defendants were executors in their own wrong, they could be exempt from suit during any time after they intermeddled, for such is not the rule. Harris vs. Wynne, 4 Ga. 524; Stallings vs. Johnson, 27 Ga. 564. If they intermeddled at all, it was within the first year after their mother died, and so the plaintiff had that much more time to bring his action against them than he would have had if they had been rightful executors. Under our statute, the two pleas considered by us in this case may be pleaded together.

7. The so called new promise set up by an

a letter can be very well accounted for without a letter can be very well accounted for without imputing to the writer the office or character of executor. Moreover the note referred to is one having a credit on it, whereas the note now in question and copied in the bill of exceptions is without any credit, so far as appears; and there is no evidence that there was not some note answering the description set forth in the letter. Certainly the description is yagne enough, even with this mark of a credit

the bottom of his certificate over his signature thus: "All erasures and interlineations made before signing," the writ of error will not be dismissed,—certainly not unless counsel for defendant in error will suggest on his professional veracity his belief that the bill of excep-

Motion denied.

in error.
J. B. Conyers; J. A. Baker; A. W. Fite.

Brown vs. State. Assault with intent to mur-der, from Whitfield. Criminal Law. Former Jeopardy. Municipal Corporations. Dal-ton. Constitutional Law. (Before Judge ton. Constitutional Law. (Before Judge Fain.) Blandford, J.—The title of the act of Feb-

tains no indication that any power is conferred upon the mayor or council as a court to try cases of assault, batteries, riots, affrays, and using opprobrious or abusive language tending to provoke a breach of the peace, or tending to provoke a breach of the peace, or using obscene or vulgar language in the presence of a female; and such a provision was unconstitutional, under the constitution of 1868, because the act contained matter different from that indicated in the title, and also because it contained two different subject, matters. Therefore, where one was tried before the mayor of Dalton for an assault and acquitted, the mayor was without jurisdiction to try him; and not having been in jeopardy, a plea of former acquittal to an indictment for assault with intent to murder, based on the same transaction, was demurrable. ame transaction, was demurrable.

Judgment affirmed.
T. R. Jones, for plaintiff in error.
J. W. Harris, Jr., solicitor general, by R. J.
McCamy, for defendant.

First National bank of Chattanooga vs. Massengill. Claim, from Catoosa. Homstead. Constitutional Law. (Before Judge Fain.) Simmons, J.—1. Where a homestead and exemption of personalty were taken under the constitution or 1808, they continued so long as the family for whose benefit they were taken exist as such. A homestead so taken was not destroyed by the adoption by the constitution of 1877; and a new homestead set apart to the head of the family under the latter constitution was a mere nullity. Code, § 5217; Nelson vs. Commercial Bank, and Hart vs. Evans, (present term).

2. Where a homestead was set apart under the constitution of 1803, if it was not of as much value as the homestead allowed by the constitution of 1877. after the adoption of the latter, it could be supplemented and increased to that amount; but the additional exemption must be set apart as a supplement to that already granted. The setting apart of a new homestead is not the granting of a supplement to a former homestead, and is not valid as such.

Judgment reversed.

J. H. Anderson; R. J. McCamy, for plaintiff W. H. Payne; McCutchen & Shumate, for

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from Bartow. New Trial: (Before Judge Fain.)

Blandford, J.—Where the eridence was conflicting and the court granted a first new trial this court will not interfere therewith.

Judgment affirmed.

R. B. Trippe; A. S. Johnson, for plaintiff in M. R. Stansell; J. M. Neel, for defendants.

Georgia Railroad and Banking Company vs.
Moon et al. Equity, from Bartow. Practice in Supreme Court.
Where, upon a bill in equity for the recovery of land and an accounting for rents, issues and profits thereof to be made by an executrix of an estate and the heirs of the decedent, a verdict was found in favor of the complainant, but requiring it to pay to the estate a certain sum of money, whereupon the complainant moved for a new trial which was refused and it excepted, but the bill of exceptions was not served upon one of the substantial defendants, this was a fatal defect, and the writ of error must be dismissed.

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2. Such a defect could not be cured by an amendment making such defendant in the court below a party plaintiff in error, on motion, especially where her counsel objected in Writ of error dismissed.

Hillyer & Bro.; Thos. W. Milner, for plain-tiff in error.

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Western and Atlantic R. R. Co. vs. Pitts.
Certiorari, from Gordon. Practice in Superior Court. Appeal. Service. Continuance. Waiver. Pleadings. Justices' Courts.
Judgments. (Before Judge Fain.)
Bleckley, C. J.—1. A general exception to

the legality of the magistrate's judgment is not to be sustained merely because the return to the certiorari sets out no evidence; the case, as to matters of evidence, being one for appeal and not for certiorari.

2. Where the constable's return fails to show service of symprons on the defendant, the case

should be dismissed on motion made in due time, unless steps are taken to have the return amended. It is error to continue the case to perfect service. The summons falls, if not served ten days before the time designated therein for appearance, unless service is waived. 3. Appearance and pleading in writing to the merits will waive service, but not if want of service be likewise pleaded at the same time. Matters in abatement and in bar may

time. Matters in abatement and in bar may be mixed in the same answer, and one defence will not defeat another. 51 Ga. 232.

4. Judgment by the magistrate was rendered in the action commenced by the first summons, and the second summons was treated.

only as a means of perfecting service in aid of the first, not as a new action brought.

5. Since the act of October 8, 1885, justices' courts may hold from day to day until their business is disposed of.

6. That counsel had professional business in two justices's courts on the same day. two justice's courts on the same day, and was absent from one believing he had leave of absence to attend to business in the other, is no cause for setting aside a judgment rendered during his absence, where it appears from the magistrate's return that he neither had leave of absence nor any sufficient reason to think he had.

he had.
7. The superior court erred in failing to sustain the certiorari for error of the magistrate in not granting the motion to dismiss the action for want of service.

Judgment reversed. Starr & Starr, for plaintiff in error. E. J. Kiker, for defendant.

Favors vs. Johnson. Certiorari, from Gordon. Justices' Courts. Nonsuit. Demand. Evidence. (Before Judge Fain.)
Bleckley, C. J.—1. On appeal trials in justices' courts, the presiding magistrate has no power to order a nonsuit because he deems the evidence insufficient to warrant a finding for the relation.

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2. Demand of payment, if made at all, unless made before, is made after the debt becomes due. Demand made when due is made after becoming due.

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E. J. Kiker, for plaintiff in error.
T. C. Milner, for defendant.

Russell vs. Napier. Equity, from Catoosa.
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Blandford, J.-1. Where a purchaser bought a tract of land and also a right of way leading therefrom to a public road through other lands.

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2. Where, at the time of the purchase, the vendee went into possession of the land and right of way and so remained for seven years or more, whether or not a bill for specific performance was barred by the statute of limitations, a decree could be entered enjoining the

vendor from interfering with the right of way.

3. Although the closing of the right of way may have been a nuisance for which an action at law might have been maintained, yet it was a continuing nuisance which would authorize a court of equity to interpose by injunction.

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Judgment reversed.
W. H. Payne, by brief, for plaintiff in error.
R. J. McCamy; James Hunt, for defendant.

Silva et al. vs. Rankin et al. Injunction, from Bartow. Evidence. Mines and Mining. Title. (Before Judge Fain).

Simmons, J.—1. Where one who had posession of certain deeds and papers testified that they were lost or destroyed, and the clerk of the superior court testified that a portion of the records in his office in which deeds were recorded about the time of the sales in pursuance of which the deeds were made were suance of which the deeds were made were destroyed, and another witness testified that he had carefully examined the records of the or-dinary's office, and that the records of the time dinary's office, and that the records of the time of an administrator's sale involved in the controversy were destroyed and not in existence, this was a sufficient foundation for the introduction of parol testimony; and on the hearing of an application for injunction, the contents of such papers could be shown by affidavits.

2. Where complainants filed a bill to enjoin the defendants from mining and carrying away ore from a certain lot of land, and on the hearing it appeared that the complainants had a title to the mineral interest in such land, and that in the title under which the defendants claim-

n the title under which the defendants claim in the little under which the detendants claimed there had been a reservation of the mineral interest by certain grantors, which had been sold under an execution against them and had passed by regular chain of title to the complainants, and that a subsequent holder of the land had conveyed it to the father of ore of the defendants (under whom such defendants) nad conveyed it to the lather of one of the de-fendants (under whom such defendant claimed), reserving the mineral interest there-in, and had afterwards attempted to convey such mineral interest to another, who made a conveyance of one-half thereof to another per-son, and the other defendant in the bill claimed

the right to operate the mines under a verbal permission from the agents of such grantee and under a lease from the other defendant; and where it was not denied that the defend-ants were insolvent, there was no error in granting an injunction. (a) This case differs from that of Nethery

s. Payne, 71 Ga. 378 Judgment affirmed.

J. A. Baker, for plaintiffs in error.

Milner, Akin & Harris, for defendants

Hill vs. Hackett, adm'r. Appeal, from Catoosa. Statute of Limitations. Contracts. (Before Judge Fain.)
Simmons, J.—Where an action was brought on the following written promise, signed by the intestate of the defendant: "Received of G. W. Hill the following jury tickets, which I promise to return, or account for if used (describing their numbers and amounts), November 8th, 1878," such an action was not barred by the lapse of four years before the commencement of the suit, but it could be brought at any (time within six years. Code, §§ 2917, 2918.

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Motion denied

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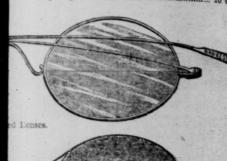
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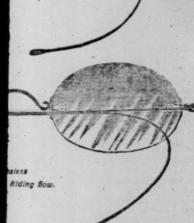
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A BIT OF HISTORY.

Jackson's Flank Movement at Chancellorsville.

WHO ORIGINATED THE STRATEGY. An Interesting Letter from Dr. J. William Jones, Former Secretary of the Southern Historical Society.

Interested in the account of the "Last official inter viewbetween Lee and Jackson," which you published this morning, written by Captain Carlton McCarthy in the Richmond Critic.

It very conclusively shows that the great flank movement which resulted in the defeat of Hooker originated with Lee, and not (as has been popularly supposed) with Jackson.
But as all details concerning these great and good

men and their relations to each other are of interest, I beg to give you some additional facts concerning that famous interview, and the origin of that

at landts interview, and the comment.
Inneral A. L. Long's Life of Lee, he published at from the gallant and accomplished engineer, Colonel T. M. R. Talcott, (who by the way is to become a citizen of Atlanta) in which he the following deeply interesting account of sistoric interview. Colonel Talcott says: y recollect ons of the night before the battle of cellors vite are as followed:

"My recollect ons of the night before the battle of Chancellorsville are as followed:
"About surise if oneral Jackson sent word to General Lee by mejthat his a lyance was checked, and the enemy were in force at Chancellorsville. This brought General Lee to the front, and General Jackson much him at the southeast angle of the Chancellorsville and Cathrene Forge road.
"General Lee asked General Jackson if he had ascertained the position and strength of the enemy on our left, to which Gene al Jackson replied by Stewart's cavalry near Cathrene Forge about dusk. The position of the enemy immediately in front was then discussed, and Capta'u Boswell and myself were sent to make a moonlight reconnocance, the result of which was reported about 10 p. m., and was not favorable to an atack in front.

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"At this time Generals Lee and Jackson were together, and Lee, who had a map before him, asked Jackson, 'how can we get at these people?' To which Jackson replied in eulect, you know best.' Show me what to do and I will do it.' General Lee looked thoughtfully at the map; then indicated on it and explained the movement he desired General Jackson to make; and closed by saying; 'General Stant will cover your movement with his cavalry.' General Jackson listened attentively, and his face lighted up with a smile while General Lee was speaking. Then rising and touching his cap, he safe: 'My troops will move at four o'clock.'"

It will be seen that this letter of Colonel Talcott is very explicit on the point that Jackson declined to make a suggestion as to what was best to be done, and Lee suggested and ordered the flank movement.

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Colonel Charles Marshall, who was at the time Lee's military secretary, gives a graphic and into resting account of either the same interview or of another the same evening, as that given above by Colonel Talcott, and I quote Colonel Marshall's account as given in General Fitzhugh Lee's superbaldress on Chancellorsville before the Army of Northern Virginia ass ciation.

General Fitz Lee says: "The problem presented to deneral Lee's mind on Friday night, May 1, was to decide how best to attack Hocker's army on the morning of May 2. Time was an important cleasent, for near Fredericksburg, in his rear, was sedgwick largely outnumbering the Courederate force in his frout under Early. During the aftermoon General Lee wished to attack from his right and cut Hooker off from the United States ford, severing his communications with Sedgwick, and rode down himself and examined the lines all the way to the river, but found no way to do so. Returning at night he found Jackson, and asked him if he knew of any place to attack. Jackson said 'No.' Lee said. Then we must get around on the federal right.' Jackson said he had been inquiring about roads by the furnace. Stuart came up then and said he would go down to the furnace and see what he could learn about roads. He sook returned with Rev. Dr. B. T. Lacy, who said a circuit could be made around by Wilder hes savern, and a young man living in the country and then in the cavalry, was sent for to act as guide.

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"Ah! what an earnest talk Lee and Jackson had on the night of May let. At sunset they took their seats on a log, on the right or north side of the plank road, and a little distance in the woods. Colonel Marshall, the well known aid-de-camp of General Lee, was the only other person present, having ben ordered to come to the spot for the purpose of writing a letter to Mr. Dayis, dictated by General Lee. Marshall sat online endigof a fallen tree, within three feet of the two generals, and heard every word that passed between them, and this is what he tells me Lee and Jackson talked about on that eventful night. Jackson spoke to General Lee about what he had seen and heard during the advance, and commented upon the promptness with which the enemy had appeared to

abandon his movement towards Fredericksburg when opposed, and the case with which he had been driven back to Chancellorsville, and concluded by expressing the opinion very decidedly and repeating it more than once, that the enemy would recross the Rappahannock before morning. He said in substance: 'By tomorrow morning there will not be any of them this side of the river.' General Lee expressed the hope that General Jackson's expectations might be realized, but said, that he dd not look for such a result; that he did not believe the enemy would abandon his attempts so casily, and expressed the conviction that the mainbody of General Hooker's army was in his front, and that the real move was to bo made from this direction, and not from Fredericksaurg. On this point there was a great difference of opinion among our higher officers, and General Lee was the only one who seemed to have the absolute conviction that the real move of the federal army was the one he was meeting then.

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In this belief he never wavered from the first. After teiling General Jackson that the hoped his opinion might be proved to be correct General Lee added: "But, general, we must get ready to attack the enemy, if we should find him here tomorrow, and you must make all arrangements to move around his right flank." General Lee then took up the map and pointed out to Jackson the ground direction of his route by the furnace and brook roads, Some'conversation took place, as to the importance of endeavoring to conceal the movement from the enemy, and as to the existence of roads further to the enemy's right, by which General Jackson might pass so as not to be exposed to observation or attack. The general line of Jackson's route was pointed out, and the necessity of celerity and secrecy was enjoined upon him. The conversation was a lengthy one, and at the conclusion of it, General Lee said to Jackson, 'that before he moved in the morning, if he should have any doubt as to whether the enemy was still in position, he could send a couple of guns to a spot close by, and open fire on the enemy's position, which would speedily settle the question. From the spot referred to, two of our guns had to be withdrawn that afternoon, as the infantry were suffering from the fire they were drawing from the enemy. General Jackson then withdrew, and General Lee dictated to Colonel Marshall a log letter to President lavis, giving him fully the situation. In it he regretted he would not have the assistance of Plekett's and Hood's divisions, but expressed his confidence in the good judgment that had withdrawn and kept them from him, and closed with the hope that, notwithstanding all our dangers and disadvantages. Providence would bless the efforts which he was sure his brave army would make to descree success.

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Dr. Bledoce, who was then editor of the Southern Review, had written to General Lee asking him the direct question, whether the flank movement at Chancellorsville originated with Jackson or with himself, and in reply General Lee wrote the following letter, which settles the question beyond all controversy:

"Lexingron, Va., October 28, 1867.—Dr. A. T. Bledsoe, office Southern Review: Baltimore, Md.—My Dear Sir. In reply to your inquiry, I must acknowledge that I have not read the article on Chancellorsville in the last number of the Southern Review, nor have I read any of the books published on either side since the termination of hostilities. A have, as yet, felt no desire to revive my recollections of those events, and have been satisfied with the knowledge possessed of what transpired. I have, however, learned from others that the various anthors of the life of Jackson, award to him the credit of the success gained by the army of northern Virginia, where he was present and describe the movements of his corps or command as independent of the general plan of operations, and undertaken at his own suggestion, and upon his own responsibility.

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ern Review, and for your own welfare, in both of which I take a lively interest, "I am, with great respect, your friend and servant, R. F. Lee." It is due to the memory and fame of Lee that the facts given above should be brought out—that his true character as a soldier should be clear v portrayed—and that the world should know that so far from being "so wand cautious" (as General Grant said he was), he was not one whit behind even "Stouewall" Jackson in the boldness of his conceptions, and the rapidity of ferson Davis was not wrong in his estimate when he said: "Lee would attempt anything that man might dare."

And yet in this we would dishonor the memory of Lee if we should disparage in any way his great lieutenant—"Stonewall" Jackson—whom he called his "right arm," and to whom he wrote when he was stroken down at Chancellorsville: "Could I have dictated events I should have chosen for the good of the country to have been disabled in your stead." I had the privilege once of hearing General Lee, in his office in Lexington, pronounce a glowing eulogy on Jackson, in which he said with far more than his accusiomed warmth of feeling: "He never failed me. Why, if I had had Stonewall Jackson at Gettysburg I should have won that battle, and if I had won a decided victory there we would have established the independence of the confideracy."

It was on the other hand beautiful to see how Jackson reciprocated Lee's high opinion. He said, "General Lee is a phenomenon. He is the only man whom I would be willing to follow blindfolded." And it was glorious to see the cheertul alacrity, the spendind skill and the terrific energy with which he executed the orders, or even the slightest wish of his chief. Lee and Jackson were indeed Par nobile fratrum. "Lovely in their lives, in their death, they were not divided," but sleeping side by side in "Lexington in the valley of Virginia." they live together in the hearts of a grateful people, their fame is forever linked together, and their pure spirits bask together in the sunlight

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laughter, Bismarck fairly roaring with glee The bet was paid several times over, and the future German chancellor was the only one of the narty who went to bed undressed—and this would not have happened had it not been for his faithful Hildebrand. Just before lapsing into drunken insensibility the young officer took out a sum of money, amounting in American coin to \$5, and told Hildebrand if he ever received a similar order he must plead a lame shoulder or some other excuse for not obeying. The money was taken, but there was no opportunity thereafter to test its efficacy as a bribe. On another occasion Bismarck ordered this same servant to ride a horse into a swift stream to water it. This time, in the interests of dissame servant to ride a norse into a swift stream to water it. This time, in the interests of dis-eretion, Hildebrand rather objected, but was sternly informed that he must obey orders, and that if his life was seriously endangered at any time he (Bismarck) would rescue him. Hildetime he (Bismarck) would rescue him. Hilde-brand spurred his unwilling animal into the stream, and in a second both were swallowed up by the water and completely at its mercy. Bismarck threw aside his outer garments and plunged into the boiling current. He was a powerful swimmer, and managed to drag Hil-debrand to the shore just as he was thorough-ly done for and unable to assist himself. The horse was drowned

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Negroes With Wealth. Samuel Harris, a negro, of Williamsburg Va., is worth \$80,000. In Richmond there is an Africo-American barber named William Lyons, who is worth \$50,000.

Stewart Ellis, of Raleigh, N. C., has filled a government contract for carpentering on a building worth \$300,000. W. C. Coleman, wholesale and retail merchant at Conc C., owns several of the finest breed of horse in the state.

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A. Nickens owns and manages a pottery at Haddonfield from which he turned out work that outrivaled everything of its kind at the recentle. The Rev. James Ramsey, of Hancock county, Ohio, is worth \$150,000, and is the largest individual holder in the bank of Findlay. There are quite a number of negroes with property in Ohio amounting to \$75,000.

In Augusta, Ga., W. G. Johnson, general merchant, is said to be worth \$35,000. Mrs. Nora Foster, a handsome quadroon, recently inherited a fortune of nearly \$100,000 from her husband.

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Frederick Douglass is said to be worth \$250,000, although he is only assessed for \$18,895 worth of property.

The wealthiest person of the African race north of Mason and Dixon line is Dr. James N. Gloucester, of Brooklyn. The Gloucester estate is valued at \$200,000.

Nineteen colored men of Baltimore are said to be worth \$80,000. The wealthiest is Joseph Thomas, who is a boss stevedore. He is worth \$80,000. James L. Bradford, a green grocer, is worth \$50,000.

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## Finance and Commerce. Bonds, Stocks and Money.

We are not quite sure as to the reason why, but there has been this week a steady decline in nearly all the land companies' stocks brought into existence during the past year or two, while the crase for such ventures was at its highest. During this period some doubtful schemes were put affoat, and at one time it looked as if there was no limit to the thing; but history teaches that when unreal heights are attained, the power of gravitation brings us down to our proper level. It places of well-established reputation which have an assured future, the transactions in land were enormous in amount and ridiculous in price, the great majority of purchases, we presume, were made for purely speculative purposes, and today we see the result in the inability of many buyers of that era to meet their deferred payments, and the property in which they saw great brofit taken to satisfy their dishonored obligations we have never doubted that Birmingham, Chattanooga, Anniston, Sheffield, Decatur, and, perhaps other places, made prominent through their superior location for manufacturing towns, had a conspicuous future before them, and the present depression does not work a change in our faith, but there is going on a weeding-out process which will work the survival of the fittest, and when that work is complete we expect to see them go on and ake their places as energetic, prosperous cities. Na-

is complete we expect to see them go on and take their places as energetic, prosperous cities. Nature has fitted them for prominent places in the history of our country, and they cannot be permanently kept from occupying those places. While the speculative fever had such sway among our neighbors, we were taking care of a little ramily quarrel on the liquor question, and Atlanta was not affect-ed by the craze so that, while some people made faces at us and said we were old fogles and all that sort of thing, perhaps it was a blessing in disguise that we were too much interested in abusing each other to take a hand in the affairs which so en-

I the attention of our neighbors. We are t The attention of our neighbors. We are to y in the most prosperous period of Atlanta's history, and there are means and methods at work to farther advance us as the best point in the south for all commercial, manufacturing and traffic purposes. Take these with our well known location in the matter of health and we are perfectly satisfied. In money circles loans are to be had on sound security at reasonable rates while the call for known inents is unabated. The supply of favorite bo vestments is not nearly up to the demand and prices show a steady advance. With the disbursements in dividends and interest the first of January, there will be a still greater demand and naturally s

further advance in prices.

We have in hand a statement of earnings and expenses of the Americus, Preston and Lumpkin rail-road for the month of November, and are gratified to note a steady increase in the earnings of that company. It is destined to be of great value to the company. It is destined to be of great value to the section in which it is located, and to prove a profitable investment for its share and bondholders. President Hawkins, of the Americus, Preston and Lumpkin, publishes a notice insunother column that mons on the bonds of his company will be paid at maturity by the National Park bank, New York, by W. H. Patterson, 24 South Pryor street, this city, or at the office of the company at cus. Ga. The rails of the Atlanta and Florids railroad have reached Fayetteville, grading on the remainder of the first division between Atlanta and Fort Valley is practically finished and negotiations will be closed the coming week, we are informed for rails to cover this division. The company has thirty-five miles of rails, including those already laid as above stated, paid for and delivered. The Georgia Improvement company, contractors for the building of the Atlanta and Florida road, has changed presidents this week, Mr. H. T. Inman resigning and Mr. L. J. Hill succeeding him. Mr. Inman resigned because of a press of private bus-iness, which prevented his giving to the Improvement company the attention it merited. Mr. Hill has taken hold with energy, and from his acknowledged ability we are sure the affairs of the company made by a number of local capitalists to buy from the Improvement company \$250,000 bonds of the Atlania and Florida railroad company at satisfac-tory figures, and this, with other available assets of the Improvement company, assures the rapid prothe improvement company, assures the rapid pro-gress and early completion of the undertaking. The Georgia improvement Co. was organized mainly for the purpose of building the Atlanta and Florida road, but the success it has met in this, its first endeavor, opens a wide field for other similar work, and we expect to see it one of the permanent insti-tutions of our city. Early in the new year contracts will be let for the second division of the Atlanta and Florida between Fort Valley and Thomasville

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York exchange buying at par and selling at

Stocks as Reported at the New York Stock Exchange.

NEW YORK, December 17.—The stock market oday was again extremely dull but firm, the result of operations being to leave prices mostly frac to 14 per cent below yesterday's final figures. At the opening New England and Lackawanna exhib-ited some strength, and the former advanced 1 per cent, but the general list was intensely dull though a firm tone existed and small fractional gains were hed among those stocks traded in. Toward dency, which was specially marked in Kansas and Texas, but the market rallied and closed firm near the best prices reached. Smaller coal stocks were features in the last hour, being strong and compar-atively active. The business done amounted to only 62,000 sbares. More on the list are higher, but the only important changes are gains of 11/4 per cent each in Hocking and Color do Coal:

Exchange dull but steady at 4821/661.861/4. Money any at 364, closing offered at 21/4. Subtreasury bal-mees: Coin 181, 215,000; currency, 89, 859,000. Govern-ments dull but steady; 4s 126, 41/4 1077/4. State bonds

dull and featureless.

Als. Class A 2 to 5. 1683/N. O. Pac. 1st. 75%
do. Class B 3 s. 108
N. Y. Central. 1689/S
N. C. Ge. 118
Northern Pacific. 22
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THE COTTON MARKETS. CONSTITUTION OFFICE,

ATLANTA, December 17, 1857.

Net receipts for 1 day 32,756 bales, against 37,109-bales last year; exports 16,193 bales; last year 38,921 bales, stock 988,532 balespears year 1,025,632 bales.

Below we give the opening and closing quotations of cotton futures in New York today;

87,779 . S7,616 Grand total....

NEW YORK, December 17-C. L. Green & Co., in their report on cotton futures today, say: The market for cotton certificates did not present many striking features today. Really new business proved ex-tremely moderate, and most of the trading was conwith some indications of increasing political com-plications abroad, there was no aid from the foreign side of the situation, and home influences were practically unchanged. Still, at 3@4 points decline buy-ing orders were struck to an extent sufficient to stop further shrinkage and close the market steady.

NEW YORK, December 17—[Special.]—From Hubbard, Price & Co., through John S. Ernest: The weak and uneasy feeling in foreign markets continues, having caused the decline in Liverpool, where speculators are reported overloaded with yesterday's buyers now selling their holdings. Our cables add that the undertone is weak, and that any unfavora-ble circumstance would make a further decline. The opening here was steady with a loss of about five points. During the day the market showed more latent strength than for some, and, while no effort was evident to advance prices, the drift was steadily upward to within two points of yesterday's close. The short day may in part account for this. operators being unwilling to have a large interest over Sunday, but in addition the fears of trouble abroad were thought groundless, and any decline in consequence of them unwarranted. Estimates of receipts for the week ending next Friday are large. Our dispatches from New Orleans advise the probability of 80,000 bales there and 200,000 bales at all The interior movement foot uv 101,900 bales. gainst 106,000 bales last week and 103,000 bales last year. The hardening tendency in our market is making bull converts, who now believe that the absorption of cotton here will lead to an increased desorption or cotton here will lead to an increased de-Hand and better prices, but the light trading was without feature, excepting the gradual increase in prices and the better undertone. An advance in silver to 44% was reported from London, which may affect the Manchester market. The recent very bad weather in Texas will, it is thought, will soon lessen receipts from that state. A valued correspondent in Galveston writes that the cotton in the interior Galveston writes that the cotton in the interior could not be hauled, and a temporary shrinkage would soon be noted in consequence.

ply of cotton for the world is 3,011,907 bales, of which 2,575,487 bales are American, against 2,330,717 bales and 2,430,417 bales respectively last year. Receipts at all interior towns 156,717 bales. Receipts from plantations 247,948 bales. Crop in sight 4,653,831 bales.

LIVERPOOL, December 17—12:15 p. m.—Cotton firm and in fair demand; middling uplands 5%; mid-dling Oreans 5 11-16; sales 10,000 bales; speculation

BOSTON, December 17— Cotton' quiet; middling 10¼; net receipts 252 bales; gross 1,604; sales none; stock none.

5,700; stock 185,526.

AUGUSTA, December 17—Cotton very dull; middling 3/4; net receipts 144 bales; shipments —; sales 1.0-2.

THE CHICAGO MARKET.

board of trade this morning. On a big bid by a local operator May option opened at \$16, but the general crowd was only bidding at 15.95, and in half an hour the price had eased off to 15.85. This last figure, however, was a fraction above last night's close, the strength being due to light receipts. Later on heavy bear movements, option went down to 15.75, but soon after rallied to 15.82%. The record of the other markets during the first hour was similar to that of pork. May lard opened 750 the course of \$272. and May corn at 54%. Trading was not unusually large. During the morning May wheat, which had sold on to 84e eased back to 83%, on large selling May corn sold down to 54%. There was little doing in either of the grain pits and before the close

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PROVISIONS, GRAIN, ETC. CONSTITUTION OFFICE, ATLANTA, December 17, 1387. Flour, Grain and Meal.

ATLANTA, December 1 — Flour—Best patent \$5.50 extra-fancy \$5.00; fancy \$4.50; extra-family \$4.02; 65.00 family \$5.00 extra-family \$4.02; 65.00 family \$5.00 extra-family \$4.00; family \$5.00 family \$5.10 family \$5.10

fremely moderate, and most of the trading was con-fined to an effort to even up with the end of the week, and, as the longs took a prominent part, the general tone was easier under an excess of offering over the demand. Liverpool seemed inclined to follow the final break made here last evening, and

NEW YORK, December 17-The total visible sup-

By Telegraph.

dling Oreans & 11-16; sales 10,000 bales: speculation and export 2.000; receipts 8.009; American 3,600; uplands low middling clause December delivery 540-64; December and January delivery 5 40-64; Berburary and March delivery 541-64, 542-64; March and April delivery 541-64, 542-64; March and April delivery 541-64, 542-64; March and April delivery 552-64; May and June delivery 548-64, 547-64; June and July delivery 50-64, 549-64; July and August delivery 552-64; futures opened quiet.

LIVERPOOL. December 17—1:00 p. m.—Sales of American 6,900 bales; uplands low middling clause December delivery 540-64, sellers; December and January delivery 5-64, sellers; January and February delivery 540-64, sellers; February and March delivery 541-64, buyers; March and April delivery 542-64, value; August delivery 549-64, value; July and August delivery 549-64, value; July and August delivery 551-64, value; flures closed quiet.

NEW YORK, December 17—Cotton dull; sales 282-

NEW YORK, December 17—Cotton dull; sales 282 bales, middling uplands 10%; middling Orieans 10%; net receipts 1,776; gross 6,801; consolidated net receipts 22.759; exports to France 5,625; to continent 11,168; stock.

small bales \$1.10; clover 95c; wheat straw baled 80c. Peas—Stock — NEW YORK, December 17—Flour, southern quiet and steady; common to fair extra \$3.25@\$4.00; good to choice \$4.10@\$6.00. Wheat, options ruied very dull; opening firm, advancing \$4.04¢, but soon weakened and declined \$4.04¢, closing steady at about the bottom; spot steady and quiet with an absence of export snterest; No. 2 red December \$90.89%; January \$93.4694\\$4. Corn \$4.04¢ higher but very quiet; No. 2 December nominal at \$1.45 January \$1.4662; May \$3.685 -16. Oats a shade better with trading light; mixed western \$56.38; No. 2 December 37.4; January \$7.76.38; May \$97.4. Hops quiet and steady; state \$4.38; California 76.18.

BALTIMORE, December 17—Flour steady and quiet; Howard street and western superfine \$2.27.082.75. stock —,
GALVESTON, December 17—Cotton firm; middling
9%; not receipts 2,001 bales; gross 2,001; sales 3,686;
stock 110,542; exports constwise 3,093,
NORFOLK, December 17—Cotton steady; middling
10 1-16; not receipts 2,397; bales; gross 2,397; stock
57,157; sales 1,827; exports constwise 505.
BALTIMORE, December 17—Cotton nominal; middling 10%; pet receipts none bales; gross 510; sales
none; stock 12,520; sales to spinners 125; exports
constwise 225.

stock none.
WILMINGTON, December 17—Cotton firm; middling 9 15-16; net receipts 2,409 bales; gross 2,409; sales none; stock 20,281; exports coastwise 48.
PHILADELPHIA, December 17—Cotton firm; middling 104; net receipts 1,370 bales; gross 1,370; sales none; stock 16,868.

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SAVANNAH, December 17 — Cotton quiet; middling 9½, net receipts 4,715 bales; gross 4,715; sales 2,300; stock 147,509; exports to continent 6,126.

NEW ORLEANS, December 17—Cotton quiet but firm; middling 9½; net receipts 12,269 bales; gross 12,664; sales 2,254; stock 367,699; exports to France 5,025, to continent 1,225.

MOBILE, December 17 — Cotton firm, middling 9½; net receipts 1,181 bales; gross 1,204; sales 1,000; stock 83,960; exports coastwise 315.

MEMPHIS, December 17—Cotton steady; middling 9½; net receipts 3,632 bales; shipments 6,875; sales 4,700; stock 185,326.

AUGUSTA, December 17—Cotton very dull; mid-

CHARLESTON, December 17—Cotton quiet; mid-dling 10; net receipts 2,996 bales; gross 2,996; sales 2,000; stock 52,196; exports coastwise 1,778.

Features of the Speculative Movement in Grain and Produce,

Grain and Produce.

Special to The Constitution.

CHICAGO, December 17—Pork was the favorite article on the list for brokers at the opening of the board of trade this morning. On a big bid by a

No. 2 red 85; longberry 86. Corn. No. 2 mixed 5; do. white 57. Oats, new No. 2 mixed 34; No. 2 white 34%.

ATLANTA, December 17—Coffee—Firm; in good demand. We quote: Choice 25%; prime 22%; good 21%; fair 20%; low grade 19c. Sugar—Cut loaf 8c; powdered 8c; standard granulated 7%; standard 3r 7½; extra C 7c; yellow extra C 6½c. Syrups—New Orleans choice 50@56c; prime 36@50c common 20@25c. Trass—Binck 35@60c; green 35@60c. Nutnegs 76c; Cloves 35c. Allspice 12%c. Cinnamon 12c. Sago 50c. Ginger 10c. Mace 60c. Pepper 20c. Crackers—Milk 7c; Boston butter 8c; pearl oyster 7%c. X soda 5c; XXX do. 5%c. Candy—Assorted 5tick 9c. Mackerel — No. 3 bbls 81.50; % bbls 81.76; kits 80c. Soap 82.00@85.00 p 100 cakes. Candles – Full weight 11c. Matches—Round wood 2 gross \$1.15; \$200 \$2.50; \$3.50; \$400 \$4.50. Soda—in xegs 4%c; in boxes 5%c. Rhoice 6%c; prime 6c; fair 5%c. Salt—Virginia 75c. Cheese—Cream 4c; factory 13c.

NEW ORLEANS, December 17—Coffee strong and high-r; Rio cangoes common to prime 17@19%. Sugar firm; Louisiam open kettle-choice 4%; prime 4%c47-16; good fair to fully lair 43-16645-16; good common 35-16; or do. 5%c65 7d; seconds 56-5% Molasses irregular; open kettle-choice 4%; prime 6s; rietly prime 36@3; good prime 32@3; contribugals, strictly prime 36@3; good prime 32@3; contingals, strictly prime 36@3; good prime 30@3; contingals, strictly prime 36@3; good prime 32@3; contingals, strictly prime 36@3; good prime 32@3; contingals, strictly prime 36@3; good prime 32@4; good prime 32@2; contingals, strictly prime 36@3; good prime 36@3; contingals, strictly pri Provisions.

Provisions.

ST. LOUIS, December 17—Provisions firm. Pork, new 844.78. Lard 7.45. Dry asit meats, boxed lots shoulders 5.8574/26.00: long clear 7.673/267.75; clear ribs 7.75/267.87%; short clear 8.00. Bacon, boxed shoulders 6.50/1600 glear and short ribs 8.374/26.50; short clear 8.50/26.67%; hams 104/2612.

NEW YORK, December 17—Pork steady and only moderately active; old mess \$14.50/2614.75; new \$15.25 (\$15.56. Middles nominal. Lard 526-90/10ts higher and fairly active; western steam spot 8.024/268.12%; January 8.04/26.812; May 8.32/26.43; city steam 7.00; refined to continent 6.96.

LOUISVILLE, December 17—Provisions firm. Bacon, clear rib sides 83/2; clear sides 8/2; partly cured shoulders 6.00. Mess pork \$15.50. Hams, sugarcured 111/2612. Lard, prime leaf 9.

CHICAGO, December 17—Cashiquotations were as follows: Mess pork \$15.002815.10. Lard 2.764/267.80. Short ribe sloces 7.70/27/25. Dry salted shoulders 50/26/26 short clear sides boxed 8.10/28.16.

ATLANTA, December 17—The following are ruling cash pricestoday: Clear ribe sides 8/46. Sugar-cured hams 124/2614/26. Lard—Pure leaf, tierces 8/46; refined 74/26.

CINCINNATI, December 17—Pork quiet at \$15.00.

CHRISTMAS. CHRISTMAS. CHRISTMAS. BAKER & WOOLMAN.

Having become overstocked in all of our departments, and especially in Holiday Goods of all kinds, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, we will

## At Cost, Monday, December 19th.

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We must cut it in two. We mean what we say. We will not fool you. Come and see. Look over our price list,

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All linen, colored border, hemstitched, 10c; will close at 6c.
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All linen, colored border, hemstitched, 20c; will close at 12c.
All lineh, colored border, hemstitched, 25c; will close at 15c.
All of the finer goods cut at the same rate. We have these goods as high as \$1.75.
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close at 20c.
Fine Slik Handkerchiefs, former price, 65c; will close at 0: Fine Silk Handkerchiefs, shaded brocade, very Fine Silk Handkerchiefs, shaded brocade, very handsome, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ at 60c.

Fine Silk Handkerchiefs, all colors, former price, \$\frac{1}{2}\$. It's will close at 15c.

Fine Silk Handkerchiefs, extra quality, all colors, former price, \$\frac{1}{2}\$; will close at \$\frac{1}{2}\$.

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Gents fine Mufflers, all wool, 90c; will close at 60c.

Gents fine Mufflers, all silk, plain or brocade, \$\frac{1}{2}\$; will close at \$\frac{1}{2}\$.

### KID GLOVES.

Here is the great cut. Make your presents out of his department. We must unload. All Gloves Kid at \$1. Sents' Kids, warranted at \$1.50; close at cost—\$1.

spot \$3%bid. Corn, southern easy and quiet; white 58 (651; yellow 556654).

8T. LOUIS, December 17—Flour slow and steady. Wheat opened strong and advanced throughout, closing out above yesterday: No. 2 red fall cash 866 81; December 70%. May 84%68. Corn lower; No. 2 mixed cash 46%447; May 49%656. Corn lower; No. 2 mixed cash 39%631; May 82%64. Oats 4cc lower; No. 2 mixed cash 39%631; May 82%64. CHICAGO, December 17—Cash quotations were as follows; Flour steady; winter wheat \$3,90634.35; spring wheat \$3,064.25; spring patent \$3,50634.36; No. 2 spring wheat 7,55%66; No. 3 do. 65667; No. 2 red 78. No. 2 corn 45% No. 2 cast 3163134.

CINCINNATI, December 17—Flour quiet; family \$3,35635.55; fancy \$3,75683.85. Wheat casy; No. 2 red 81%685. Corn easy; No. 2 mixed 33%65. Oats in moderate demand; No. 2 mixed 346347.

LOUISVILLE, December 17—Grain frim. Wheat, No. 2 red 85; longberry 88. Corn No. 2 mixed 55; do. white 57. Oats, new No. 2 mixed 34; No. 2 white 34%.

Baker & Woolman,

No. 2 mixed 45@47c. Hay—Choice timothy, large bales \$1.10; No. 1 large bales \$1.10; Short ribs 7%. Bacon quiet; short ribs—; short clear?. small bales \$1.10; lover 95c; wheat straw baled 50c.

## PLUSH GOODS!

At prices which will surprise any buyer; just at New York cost; we must get rid of them. Call early in the morning, or after supperfat night. Corsets at cost. Call and see. 25, 45, 76, 900, \$1, \$1.13 and \$1.20. Ladies' Collars, all Linen, 9, 11, 14 and 18c. Ladies' Cuffs, all Linen, 9, 11, 14 and 20c. Ladies' Jerseys. We have ten times too many on hand, and we will sell these less than cost; they must zo.

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TOWELS, TOWELS! Down the prices go! Cut in two! less than cost. Turkish Towels, Huck Towels, Damask Towels,

TABLE LINEN. Oil Red, Turkey Red, Unbleached Linen, Bleached Linen, and elegant Damask at cost. We must sell these goods; they must go.
Embroidered Flamels at cost.

## PARGAIN TABLE

Will consist of Bargains in Table Linens.
Towels, Napkins, 10,000 pieces Hamburg Embroidery at 4e per yard. Plush Goods of all kinds. Dress Trimming, Satin, Silk and Wool-Trimming, Braids, all less than cost. We mean all we say.

Naval Stores.
WILMINGTON, December 17—Turpentine dull at 30½; rosin firm; strained 82½; good strained 87½; tar firm at \$1.10; crude turpentine firm; hard \$1.05; yellow dip \$2.00; virgin \$2.00.
SAVANNAH, December 17—Turpentine weak at 35½; sales—barrels; rosin firmat 92½; sales—barrels.

CHARLESTON, December 17—Turpentine steady at 35; rosin quiet; good strained 90.

NEW YORK, December 17—Rosin quiet at \$1.05@ 51.10; turpentine quiet at 33.

Fruits and Confectioneries.

Country Produce.

ATLANTA, December 17— Eggs—22½c. Butter—Gilt edge 25@27c; choice Tennessee 20@22½c; othee grades 10@15. Poultry—Hens 22@22½c; young chickens targe 12½@15. Irish Potatoes—82.50@3.00. Sweet Potatoes—10@50c. Honey—Strained 6@8c; in the comb 10c. Onions—\$3.50@\$3.75. Cabbage—1½ @2c.

Live Stock.

ATLANTA, December 17—Horses—Plug \$65@90; good drive\$150@\$200; drivers \$125@\$140; fine \$250@\$300. Mules—14½ to 15 hands \$115@\$125; 15 to 15½ hands \$135@\$160.
CINCINNATI, December 17—Hogs firm; common and light \$4.27@\$3.55; packing and butchers \$5.50

Whisky.
CINCINNATI, December 17—Whisky steady at

ST. LOUIS, December 17—Whisky steady at \$1.05. CHICAGO, December 17—Whisky \$1.10.

Bagging and Ties.
ATLANTA, 'December 17—Bagging 1½ hs 6½c;
134 hs 6½c; 12 hs 7½c; ½ hs 7½c; ½ hs
8½c; Ties 1½5.

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Silk Plushes, all colors, \$1.60; cut to \$1.25.
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China Japan, plain and brocaded Silks, all at cost.
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JET, JET ORNAMENTS, PASSAMENTRE Everything in Jet just at cost prices, running from 25c upwards. Silk and Mohair Trimming Braids, Ornaments, etc., all at cost; they must go.

GENTS, GENTS! Gents' Neck Ties, all silk, late fall styles, only 24c. Gents' Silk Umbrellas only \$2. Ladies' Shawls, all wool, only \$1.50. Ladies' Shawls, all colors, only \$1. Breakfast Shawls 10c.

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Remember the place. Everything at cost until January 6th. We are compelled to do this. Our stock is too large, and we think that now is the

time to give our customers the bargains, while they are compelled to buy goods. To avoid the rush, come early in the morning or after supper. We will keep open until 11 p. m. We have been compelled to increase our force. We now have 18 salesladies to wait on you.

HERE IS A HEAVY CUT All Underwear at COST. Our stock is too large, t must be cut down.
Gents' Gray Knit Shirts 30c.
Gents' White Merino Vests 10c, cut to 43c.
Gents' White Merino Vests, regular price 75c, cut

THEY MUST GO. Gents' Socks 15c, full Regular British. Gents' Laundered Shirts, 20 pleated besom, former rice \$1.25, cut to 90c. LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. BARGAINS! BARGAINS! Ladies' Skirts, 40c up to \$4. Ladies' Chemise, 49c up to \$3.50. Ladies' Night Gowns, 60c up to \$4. Ladies' Pants, 49c up to \$3.50.

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Infants' Slips, 50c to \$2.
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These are rare bargains on these goods. All the attenovelties in good plated jewelry at cost.
Full stock of Zephyrs, in single and split, only 8c, regular price 10c.

the North Side club in a german to be given Tuesday of Christmas week. The affair will don less be one of the pleasantest of the season.

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will give its first regular reception of the season. The preparations indicate an elaborate affair.

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bbl. Lemons—\$8.50@\$4.00. Oranges—\$3.25@\$3.50.
Cocoanuts—7c. Pineapples—\$2.00 \$\(\)
doc, Bananas—Selected \$1.75@\$2.00; grapes 7½@\$12½%c \$\(\)
Figs — 13@18c. Raisins — New London \$3.25; \$\(\)
boxes \$1.75; \$\(\)
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boxes \$0c. Currants—7½@\$c. Leghorn citron—2c. Almonds—19c. Pecans—10@14c. Brazil—10@11c. Filberts—12%c. Walnuts—13c. Dried Fruif—Sundried apples 6@\$c, sundried peaches 6@\$c; sundried peaches pealed 12c. To THE HIGHEST BIDDER AT TWELVE o'clock at my mill, two vacant business lots, 22 feet front, running back 75 feet. Anew brick store same size and length. One first-class flouring mill with roll process, all new and in good running condition; and one five-room cottage. This property is located near the public square on Main street in the city of Gainesville. Titles good. Any person wishing to invest will do well to attend this sale, Hardware.

ATLANTA, December 17—Market steady. Horse-shoes \$4.25@\$4.50; mule shoes \$5.25@\$5.50; horseshoe nails 12@20c. Ironboundhames \$3.50. Trace-chains \$2@70c. Ames' shovels \$9.00. Spades \$10.00. Well-buckets \$3.50@\$4.50. Cotton rope 15@16c. Sweed Iron 5c; rolled or merchant bar 2%c rate. Cast-steel 10@12c. Nails, iron, \$2.50; steel \$2.50. Glidden barbed wire, galvanized, \$7.50 steel \$2.50. Glidden barbed wire, galvanized, \$7.50 steel \$2.50. Glidden barbed wire, \$2.50. Steel \$2.50. S

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SOCIETY SALAD.

Events of the Week on the Soc

A NUMBER OF PLEASANT HAPPENIN

At the Clubs, and in the Parlors-Exe-sions and Dinings-Weddings and Rumors of Coming Events.

"How will New Year's day be observed is a question frequently heard. As the first day the new year will fall upon Sunday, Monday, 21 will be generally observed. Several of the least of th The North Side German club will give

Miss Maude Kirk gave a 'pleasant "prog give hearis' party to a number of frient's on Frevening. There were present, as guests, Mr. Mrs. G. F. Covel, Miss May Peters, Miss Graif, I Harwood, Miss Lillie Orme, Miss Geary, Mr. Hall, Mr. Joe Eddieman, Mr. Peter Grant, Mrs. Harwood, Miss Lillie Orme, Miss Gray, Mr. Hall, Mr. Joe Eddieman, Mr. Peter Grant, Mrs. Hall and Mr. J. H. Lovejoy, Jr.

There are more than one hundred "S.

There are more than one hundred "S. E'" in Atlanta and to them this paragraph especially dedicated, as it were. The constitution and general convention of the Signa Alpha Egs fraternity will be held in Columbia, South Carol on the 27th and 23th of December. A banquet german will be given complimentary to the vention, by Province E., on the evenings of the and 36th, and a royal time is expected. All "S are invited an 1 Mr. A. T. Woodward writes in Columbia that he will be glad to furnish any in mation desired. Mr. Tom Cobb Jackson was kept busy

Mr. Tom Cobb Jackson was kept busy berday receiving the hearty congratulations of many friends upon his admission to the bar. p.s.ed a more than creditable examination and words of commendation from Judge Marshal Clarke were certainly well deserved. No you man in Georgia begins his professional career unmore asspicious circumstances, and thousands friends will join This Constitution in wishing the may attain the highest honors. The "Mum" party at the cosy residence

The "Mum" party at the cosy residence Major J. W. Warren, in Kirkwood, on Friday nig was one of the most brilliant and enjoyable and of the season. The young ladies and gentlement the vicinity were out almost en masse and spent time pleasantly until near midnight. It is said the only way the young gentlemen had to ind the young ladies to break the spell of silence was make a matrimental proposal, and as all the young ladies broke the silence, it logically follows that proposals were accepted. Quite a handsome swas netted for the beneft of Kirkwood chapel. The bazaar at the home of Mrs. Livingst Mims, under the auspices of the ladies of St. Luk cathedral, was a grand suce s. Too much cam be said in praise of those charming young lad whose presence and attructions made the affair

whose presence and access that it was-At the First Presbyterian church in Augus on Wednesday evening next, at 7 o'clock, the mriage of Miss Maude Margaret Stovall, one of A gnsta's most clarming telles, to Mr. Charles Pays
Pressley will take place. A number of Atlar
society people will attend.
On Monday evening Dr. and Mrs. Cha

Jones gave a delightful reception in honor of the guest, Miss Greenleaf, of New Orleans. Mrs. Jon was assisted at her reception by Miss Greenleaf, M. Ballie Maud Jones and Miss Annie Adair. The members of the Nine O'clock German 'clibeld an enthusiastic meeting last night. Sever new members were received. This club will jo

The Grand Concert For the Benefit of the Confederate Veterans.

The concert of the Polymnia club, to given for the benefit of the Confederate Veteral association, on next Wednesday evening, we doubtless be one of the pleasantest society events the week. The members of the club are:

Alfredo Barili, director.

Mrs. Alfredo Barili, accompanist.

First soprance—Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. W. Bigge Mrs. J. Carter, Miss M. D'Alvighy, Miss Irene Frar, Mrs. Frank Hancock, Miss Mabel Haynes, M. Howell Jackson, Miss Lizzle Joines, Miss K. Lyun Miss Helen McCreary, Miss G. McChellan, Miss Morgan, Miss Ella Fowell, Miss Louise Frathmiss Bessie Redding, Mrs. Robert Richards.

Second soprance—Mrs. T. Barna, Miss Curlette, M. Harrie Funnade, Miss A. B. Gardener, Mrs. G. Mus Miss M. Thomas, Miss C. Vertrees, Miss M. Walsomiss M. Woodruff, Miss Williams.

Altos—Miss Baxter, Nies M. Courtney, Miss Be Hanna, Mrs. C. D. M. Scan, Miss Ethel Ricards, Mrs. Clarence Auger, Mrs. R. Cooper, Miss Haynes, Miss Willie Howard, Mrs. H. Porter, M. C. A. Sindail, Mrs. R. Troy, Miss Atkinson.

The club will be assisted by Madama Emily Veder Hoya, Masser Anadec Von der Hoya and Egene Hardeman.

THE PROGRAMME

1. Chorus—Where Deepest Shadows Hover

WEDDINGS OF THE WEEK. Marriages in Which Atlanta People Figure Prominently.

The marriage on Wednesday afternoon liss Kilbourn to Mr. Frank Gordon, was one of the dest ceremonies ever witnessed in Washingt The interior of St. John's church was beau filuminated, and in the flood of mellow lig oral decorations, the beautiful faces and brig combined to make the scene one of unus

altar was appropriately decorated with of calls lilles in silver vases, and the alt were neatly twined with holly. The usbe or, Ruth, Dr. Russ, Hon, T. W. Grimes and the silver was a silv Zachary, romptly at moon the impressive ceremony woundry at moon the impressive ceremony woundry can be chartened from the attack of the configuration of th

Cordon and Miss May Wittinans, preceded of the Who was leading upon her father sarm. It dail train was not at the altar by the gr om, with the companied by Mr. Put Cathoun.

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# CHRISTMAS.

Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, we will

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ec. Look over our price list.

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LADIES' UNDERWEAR. Ladies' fine Merino Undervest, 50c, cost 40c.
Ladies' fine Merino Undervest, 60c, cost 50c.
Ladies' fine Merino Undervest, 90c, cost 75c.
Ladies' fine Lambs Wool Vest, \$1.25, cost 95c.
Ladies' fine Jersey Wool Vest, \$1.50, cost \$1.25.
Ladies' fine colored Jersey Wool Vest, \$1.50, cost \$1.00, cost

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. BARGAINS! BARGAINS! Ladies' Skirts, 40c up to \$4. Ladies' Chemise, 49c up to \$3.50. Ladies' Night Gowns, 60c up to \$4. Ladies' Pants, 49c up to \$3.50.

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## SOCIETY SALAD.

Events of the Week on the Social Side of Life.

A NUMBER OF PLEASANT HAPPENINGS

At the Clubs, and in the Parlors Excur sions and Dinings-Weddings and Rumors of Coming Events.

"How will New Year's day be observed?" is a question frequently heard. As the first day of the new year will fall upon Sunday, Mouday, the 2d will be generally observed. Sevral of the leading society ladies of the city will receive upon that day. At the executive mansion, Governor and Mis. Gordon will keep "open house," and will be assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gordon, Miss Gordon and a number of other young ladies. Among the other ladies who will receive are Mrs. W. D. Grant, Mrs. W. B. Lowe, Mrs. Ben Hill, Jr., Mrs. Silvey and Miss with Powell.

The North Side German club will give one of its most elegant entertainments some time during the holidays. The gentlemen having charge of the affair promise something out of the usual order of

Miss Maude Kirk gave a 'pleasant "progressive hearts" party to a number of frience on Friday evening. There were present, as guests, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Covel, Miss May Peters, Miss Graff, Miss Harwood, Miss Lillie Orme, Miss Geary, Mr. Sam Hall, Mr. Joe Eddleman, Mr. Peter Grant, Mrs. Alex Hall and Mr. J. H. Lovejoy, Jr.

There are more than one hundred "S. A. There are more than one inducted St. E.s' in Atlanta and to them this paragraph is especially dedic ted, as it were. The constitutional and general convention of the Signa Alpha Epsilon fraternity will be held in Columbia, South Carolina, on the 27th and 23th of December. A banquet and on the 27th and 23th of December. A banquet and german will be given complimentary to the convention, by Province B., on the evenings of the 29th and 30th, and a royal time is expected. All "Sigs" are invited on 1 Mr. A. T. Woodward writes from Columbia that he will be glad to furnish any information desired.

Mr. Tom Cobb Jackson was kept busy yeshar, folia cook to the hearty congratulations of his many riends upon his admission to the bar. He passed a more than creditable examination and the words of commendation from Judge Marshall J. Clarke were certainly well deserved. No young man in Georgia begins his professional career under man in Georgia begins in pro-more auspicious circumstances, and thousands of friends will join The Constitution in wishing that he may attain the highest honors.

The "Mum" party at the cosy residence of Major J. W. Warren, in Kirkwood, on Friday night, was one of the most brilliant and enjoyable affairs of the season. The young ladies and gentlemen of the vicinity were out almost en masse and spent the time pleasantly until near midnight. It is said that the only way the young gentlemen had to induce the young ladies to break the spell of silence was to the young lattice to these the spent of all the young ladies broke the silence, it logically follows that the proposals were accepted. Quite a handsome sum was netted for the tener t of Kirkwood chapel.

The bazaar at the home of Mrs. Livingston Mims, under the suspices of the ladies of St. Luke's cathedral, was a grand success, Too much canno be said in praise of those charming young ladies whose presence and attractions made the affair the memorable success that it was.

At the First Presbyterian church in Augusta on Wednesday evening next, at 7 o'clock, the mar-riage of Miss Maude Margaret Stovall, one of Au-gusta's most charming belles, to Mr. Charles Payson Pressley will take place. A number of Atlanta on Monday evening Dr. and Mrs. Chan

On Monday evening Dr. and Mrs. Chan Jones gave a delightful reception in honor of their guest, Miss Greenleaf, of New Orleans. Mrs. Jones was assisted at her reception by Miss Greenleaf, Miss Sallfe Maud Jones and Miss Annie Adair. The members of the Nine O'clock German clul

held an enthusiastic meeting last night. Several new members were received. This club will join the North Side club in a german to be given on Tuesday of Christmas week. The affair will doubtless be one of the pleasantest of the season.

On Thursday next, the Capital City club will give its first regular reception of the season. The preparations indicate an elaborate affair.

THE POLYMNIA CLUB. The Grand Concert For the Benefit of the Confederate Veterans.

The concert of the Polymnia club, to be given for the benefit of the Confederate Veterans' association, on next Wednesday evening, will doubtless be one of the pleasantest society events of the week. The members of the club are:

doubtless be one of the pleasantest society events of the week. The members of the club are: Alfredo Barili, director.

Mrs. Alfredo Barili, accompanist.

First sopranos—Mrs. Barnes, Mrs. W. Biggers, Mrs. J. Carter, Miss M. D'Alvigny, Miss Irene Farrar, Mrs. Frank Hancock, Miss Mabel Haynes, Mrs. Howell Jackson, Miss Lizie Joines, Miss K. Lynan, Miss Helen McCreary, Miss G. McClellan, Miss J. Morgan, Miss Ella Powell, Miss Louise Prather, Miss Bessie Redding, Mrs. Robert Richards.

Second soprancs—Mrs. T. Barna, Miss Julia Becker, Mrs. Boykin, Miss Curlette, Miss Harrie Fonnade, Mas A. B. Gardener, Mrs. G. Muse, Miss M. Thomas, Miss C. Vertrees, Miss M. Watson, Miss M. Thomas, Miss C. Vertrees, Miss M. Watson, Miss M. Woodruif, Miss Williams.

Altos—Miss Baxter, Nies M. Courtney, Miss Bessie Hanna, Mrs. C. D. M. Jean, Miss Ethel Richards, Mrs. Clarence Angaer, Mrs. R. Cooper, Miss E. Hayna, Miss Willie Howard, Mrs. H. Porter, Mrs. C. A. Sindail, Mrs. R. Troy, Miss Atkinson.

The club will be assisted by Madame Emily Von der Hoya, Misster Amadeo Von der Hoya and Eugene Hardeman.

THE PROGRAMME

is as follows: 

4. Chorus—The Echo..... Chorus—The Ficho.
 Polymnia Club.
 Plano Solo—a. Noctuine, b. Fantaise at fromptu
 Chop.n. c. Etude...Liszt.
 Madame Emily von Der Hoya.

1 Chorus-Where Deepest Shadows Hover.

2 Song—The Three Singers. Tours
MR. EUGENE HARDEMAN,
3. FOUR Part Song—Legends. Mochring
PLYMMA CLUB.
4. Violin Solo—Elege. Ernst
AMADEO VON DER HOYA.
5. FOUR Part Songs—a. Robin Addir. Harmonized
by...D. Buck. b. The Miller's Song. Zceliner.
POLYMMA CLUB.

### WEDDINGS OF THE WEEK.

Marriages in Which Atlanta People Figured

GORDON-KILBOURN. The marriage on Wednesday afternoon of Miss Kilbourn to Mr. Frank Gordon, was one of the prettiest ecremonies ever witnessed in Washington City. The interior of St. John's church was beautifully filuminated, and in the flood of mellow light the floral decorations, the beautiful faces and bright trees combined to make the scene one of unusual

The altar was appropriately decorated with bunches of calla lilies in silver wases, and the altar railing were neatly twined with holly. The usbers were Dr. Ruth, Dr. Ross, Hon, T. W. Grimes and Mr. Zachary.

Promptly at noon the impressive ceremony was begun by chanting "The voice that breathed over Eden," and the altar boys, bearing long sprays of helly in their hands, marched down the aisle to, meet the bridgl train. The bride's maids, Miss Fannis Gordon and Waller. on and Miss May Williams, preceded the to was learning upon her father sam. The ain was met at the altar by the gr.om, who amanied by Mr. Pat Calhoun. audiful cremony was then performed by Dr. Leonard.

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It is stoke was ivory white satin, the front
in arge palits, with hows of satin ribbon.
ides, as well as the edges of the corsage, were
olly ed, et with point larce, dotted with lifes of
alley. A plain court train fall from the waist
ceful fields, while over all fell the spray-like

as of the bridal veil.

Ins Gordon and Miss Williams were elegant patiss in white scree, beautifully trimmed with
what leaves. Mrs. Gordon wore a handsome
ck satiu dress and damonids,
mong others present were Senstors Brown and
quitt, Mr. Randall, Assistant Postmaster-General
rris, Mr. and Mrs. Waldrow, Mrs. Justice Miller,
and Miss Chandler, Miss Foster. Mrs. Lamont,
McPherson and Ba. n Von Sedartz.

Ger the ceremony was performed a royal recep-

tion was held at the Portland, at which Governor and Mrs. Gordon assisted. The bridal party left at 430 for New York, where they will remain for a few days. They promise to return, however, in time to participated in the New Year's reception at the mansion.

The marriage of Miss Dinda Howard, daughter of Colonel C. B. Howard, to Mr. Frank B. Logan, was The marriage of Miss Dinds Howard, daughter of Colonel C. B. Howard, to Mr. Frank R. Logan, was a delightful occasion. The coremony was performed by Dr. H. C. Morrison, in his infimitable way, at the residence of the bride's father, on Cain street, Thursday, at 4 p. m. No cards were issued, but quite a company of the relatives and most intimate friends assembled to witness the event and join in the congratulations and joy of the occasion. The bride is well known in this city for her many graces of person, heart and mind, and everybody knows Frank Logan as a clever, popular and successful young business man. Refreshments suitable to such an occasion and in keeping with the well known taste and skill of Mrs. Howard, added zest and afforded substantial enjoyment. The numerous friends of the young couple testified the'r love and regards by hearty good wishes spoken, and a beautiful array of presents. After an hour or two spent in pleasant conversation, the cheery good-byes were exchanged and the happy pair took passage for a short honeymoon trip to Fiorida. On their return, before the holidays, they will soon commence "house keeping" in the beautiful home the groom has prepared for his bride at 53 Houston street,

BARNWELL-GOLDSMITH.

On Wednesday evening last, at the home of Mr. Mark E. Goldsmith, 256 Whitehall street, Miss S. E. Goldsmith was united in marriage to Mr. Charles F. Barnwell, junior member of the firm of Klser & Co. Tue parlors were tastefully and profusely decorated, and the beautiful ecremony was most impressive. Rev. Dr. McDonald officiated. The bridal ecstume, an elegant task in marroon velvet. The bride herself was radiantly beautiful, and the handsome groom never looked handsomer. Only a few friends were invited. There were present: Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Goldsmith, Miss Lou Goldsmith, Mr. J. H. Goldsmith, Mr. Sen Horles of the bride presents were nunarous and beautiful and testified to the great esteem in which the young couple are held.

Dawson-Jones.

Miss Annie B. Jones was united in marriage to Mr. Homer Dawson at the residence of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Dickerson, on Hood street, Thursday evening the 15th inst. The ceremony was private, Dr. H. D. B. Gratten officiating. The bride is a most excellent young lady and beloved by her friends. Mr. Dawson is a popular young railroad man.

M'CLAIN-VAUGHN. At Stone Mountain, on last Wednesday evening, at the residence of the bride's father, Miss Jessie Vaughn was united in marriage to Mr. C. C. McClain, the well-known commercial tourist for the firm of Tanner, Currier & Heath.

On Wednesday evening, at Kirkwood, Miss Genie Clay was married to Mr. C. W. Davis, Rev. W. J. Burton officiating.

### THE ROMANCE OF TWO LIVES.

The Pretty Story of the Marriage of Wilbur Haygood and Miss Mary Rogers.

There is an old, old adage which says that the course of true love never did run smooth, says the savannah News, and its truth is proved almost every day. One of the fomantic engagements that are occurring every day in real life was brought to a happy termination yesterday. The story begins years ago, when Mastr Wilbur F. Haygood, a son of the famous divine, Rev. Atticus G. Haygood, fell

years ago, when Master Wilbur F. Haygood, a son of the famous divine, Rev. Atticus G. Haygood, fell in love with little Mary Rogers in Covington, Ga., where they then lived. During their school days they were devoted to each other, and they were inseparable when the rural pedagogues had released them from their books and slates. The sports of boys had no attraction for the true little lover that he then was, and hop-scotch nor the skipping rope could draw pretty Mary from her sweetheart's side. During there fond days no clouds cast their shadows over the young lovers' lives, but all was bright and happy, and each was content in the pledges of eternal devotion. Nine years ago the honest young lover asked the applie of his eye to become his wife, and though they were then too young to be married, the promised that she would wed him when they should reach maturer years.

At last they concluded that they were old enough to marry, as both had reached the age of twenty-four. They consulted their jacents to gain their consent. They had not contemplated any disapproval, but in that they were disappointed, Rev. Mr. Haygood and his estimable wife were greatly pleased with the choice of their son and were anxious that he should marry the girl of his choice, for she had grown into a rare woman and become the pride of the village. She was a young lady of much beauty. She was a woman, too, for rare intelligence, accomplished in all the arts that lendgrace to beauty, and withal a most womanly woman.

The consent of her parents to the union was not so easily gained, and their desire that their daughter should not wed then was a 'coirce of no little suffering to her devoted lover. It was thought best that they should be separated for a time, so he went to the north and began a course of musical studies. Being by nature a genius, he completed his course with honors, of which he is surely proud. He returned to the south a most skillfuit musician, and with all his lover's att and the jersuasion his music could command, he again la

castle to win his bride. Her parents still withheld their consent, however, but he had waited long enough.

He pressed his suit with all his devotion, and his sweetheart's parents had a difficult time withstanding the siege. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers were obdurate, and not only did they oppoe the marriage, but they did all they could to keep the lovers apart. This they found impossible. They arrived here last night and settled down in a cozy house in the seuthern part of the city. They arrived here last night and settled down in a cozy house in the seuthern part of the city. They arrived here last night and settled down in a cozy house in the seuthern part of the city. They arrived here about two weeks ago, and settled down in a beautiful home in the southern part of the city.

Dr. Lee and the prospective bridegroom arrived in this city yesterday morning and drove at once to the Pulaski house. One of the groom's friends was notified, and about 12 o'clock the door bell of the Rogers mansion announced a visitor. Miss Mary received the young gentleman who had call to see her, and in a few minutes returned to where her mother was, looking as calm as if that visitor had not announced that her lover was waiting to lead her to the altar within the next two hours. About 1 o'clock she put on her hat and starfed out for a walk in the park. She walked through the park to the Georgia Historical Society building. As she step ped through the grate a handsome young man alighted from a carriage which had been standing on the opposite side of the street for some time, and while there was no apparent sign of recognition between the two, save that which flashes like the electric spark between lovers eyes, she directed her steps toward the carriage, but instead of passing it she stepped quickly in and in an instant Wilber Haygood was beside her.

"To Trinity church," he said to the driver, leaning his head out of the window, and his directions were promptly obeyed.

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When they arrived at the church the doors were open and they entered at once. Dr. Lee was awaiting them, and as quickly as possible the ceremony was performed and the young people dec ared man and wife. When they left the church they re-entered the carriage and drove away. About seven o'clock last night the driver of the carriage returned and said that he left the happy pair a' sation N. 1 on the Charleston and Savannah ranway, and that is the last he heardof them.

The bride and groom have many friends in their old hane, and Mr. Haygood is well known in savannah, and all their friends wish them a most happy and log life together after their most romantic consummation of long years of devotion.

Chamberlain In Washington.

The Hon. Joseph Chamberlain is having a nice time in Washington. Mr. Chamberlain admires orchids, so a whole conservatory of those rare and Costly glants was transported from Albany to decorate a dining table for his benefit. At Mrs. Whitney's dinner table to the honorable gentleman last

evening:

On the center of the table was a scarf of white satin bordered with gold embroidery and gold flowers sprinkled over it. A rich white and gold flowered glas vase with handles was filled with pure white roses, Cornelia Cooks. At the four corners of the table were gold dishes filled with bonbons. The opsite fras wregold.

Gold dishes and folks! The British commissioner is being petted into excellent condition for fighting out that fishery dispute.

### ABOUT PEOPLE,

Personal Gossips About Atlantiaans and Their Guests.

Mrs. Ida G. Gray is visiting in Chattanooga.
Mr. John Berry, of Newnan, Ga., was in the city last week.

Mr. N. C. Carr, Jr., left last Friday for Conyers for Mrs. Alired Polk, of Sandersville, was in the city last week.

after a pleasant visit of several weeks to New York

city.

Mrs. W. B. Lowe will receive calls on New Year's evening at ner home on Peachtree street.

Judge John I. Hall, of Griffin, and Mr. W. L. Watterson, of Jonesboro, were in the city last week.

Miss Lizzie Fowler, of Atlanta, is visiting friends in Madison. She is expected home in a few days.

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Dr. and Mrs. Hunter P. Cooper have returned from a visit to New Orleans and the southwest, and are at the Kimball.

Mrs. General Lewis is still in New York with her little son Harry, who, by the way, has quite improved in health.

Miss Smith, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting ber brother, Prof. H. H. Smith, the principal of the girl's high school.

Miss Mollie Bostick is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. H. Leidy, in Memphis, Tenn., where she will spend the holidays.

Miss Willie Bell, one of Atlanta's most charming and most popular young ladies, is visiting Mrs. Curtis, in Columbus.

Mr. Charles T. Logan, formerly of Atlanta, has returned to the city, having severed his connection with the Birmingham Herald.

Miss Lizzie McCauley, editor of the correspondence column of the Sunny South, leaves in a few days to spend Christmas in Dawson.

Miss Florence McGhee, daughter of Hon. P. McGhee, of Murray county, will spend the winter with Mrs. B. F. McGhee on Whitehall street.

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The members of the german clubs say that they do not feel particularly complimented when their gentlemen guests appear attired in other than their dress suits.

Mrs. Judge Jas. Jackson is not expected home until after Christmas. She then comes home again to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Scrutchins, on Pine street.

Mr. J. Guy. Owsley, of Chicago, who has been stopping at the Kimball house, and Walter B. Porter spent a few days with Mrs. R. J. Howell at Duluth this week. Mr. Jimmie Goodbread, well-known' in railroad eircles, has gone to Kansas City, to spend the holi-days, and it is rumored he will bring back Missouri's fairest "Rose."

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Mr. Richard Courtney, formerly of Atlanta, but now a successful young business man in Memphis. Tenn., is expected home next Saturday, to spend Christmas with his parents on Church street.

Miss Mary Lou DeGraffenreid, one of the most beautiful and cultured of Atlanta's belles, leaves to morrow for Chattanooga, where she goes to spend Christmas week with Mrs. Joe Brown. Christmas week with Mrs. Joe Brown.

Rev. W. J. Barton, of this city, who has been called to the pastorate of Beach Springs Baptist church in Edgewood, is alio serving his fourth year as pastor of the Taylorsville Baptist church.

Captain Harry Jackson was decided to be the handsomest gentleman present at Mrs. Mim's bazaar last Thursday evening. The gallant captain says that he values the compliment higher than his life.

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The prize drill of Means's militiamen at Gate City Guards armory, next Friday morning, promises to be a very interesting affair. The young soldier boys drill under the careful management of Professor Laughlin.

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Miss Florence Scott and Miss BlanchejScott, of Castlelon-on-the-Hudson, who were for some days the guests of the Misses Jones, on Peachtree street, left on Tuesday evening for Jacksonville, where they will spend the winter.

The many friends of Mr. Volney Bullock will be pained to now that he is confined to his room from a severe attack oil, inflammation of the eyes. Mr. Bullock has been unwell since his return irom England and is greatly missed in society.

The meeting of the West Side club last Thursday evening, at the home of Mrs. W. J. Bagley, on Walker street, was a very pleasant affair. The programme was faultiess, and its excellent rendition afforded much enjoyment to those present.

There was a most delightful dance given last Thursday night at the residence of Mr. Cullum, 221 Martin street, by Messrs. W. T. Whinfrey, J. W. Johnson, R. A. Hilton and J. H. Watts, in honor of his accomplished daughter, Miss Emma Cullum.

The kirmes will come off, as was first decided during the first week in February. The entertainment promises to be one of the most unique and pleasing affairs ever held in Atlanta. The laddes interested are among the most beautiful in the state, and the costumes will be elegant.

The musical entertainment last Wednesday night at the residence of Dr. A. G. Thomas, on Pulliam street, was a delightful affair. The attendance was large, and the programme was excellent. The proceeds, which amounted to a good sum, have been applied to a charitable purpose.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Kittie Cummings, of Toledo, O., who will be pleasantly remembered by many Atlanta people, and Mr. Morrison Waite Young. The ceremony will be performed at the residence of the rofte's father, Hon. John Cummings, on the 29th instant.

Today an elegant dinner will be given at the Kimball. The lovely hostess knows how, as few poople do, to ma

### THROUGH THE STATE. Athens.

Athens.

On Tuesday evening Dr. and Mrs. H. C. White entertained their friends in honor of their sister, Miss Virginia D. White, of Baltimore. Their elegant home on Milledge avenue, was a scene of galety and beauty. The early part of the evening was occupied by the programme of dances; after supper the german occurred. It is unzecessary to say that the affair was complete and brilliant, and everybody had a delightful time. Among the laddes present were Mrs. Francis Fontaine, Atlanta; E. R. Hodgson, E. T. Brown, C. D. Flanig.m., S. C. Benedict, James S. Dant, Memphis; Sallie H. Williams, A. E. Griffith. Misses Lamar Rutherford, Katie Rutherford, Anna Hamilton, Oglesby, Pauldin, Powell, Slosser, Maud Talmadge, Claudia Lewis, Montgomery; Sallie Harris, Paul'ns Harris, Meta Charbonnier, Louise Morris. Lucy Taylor, Annie Crawford, Lizzie Bloomfie d'Augusta Noble, Mary McGinee, Atlanta; Mary Ella Noble, Sarah Frierson, Blanch Lipscomb, Daisy Wilcox, Ida Schaller, Sophie S. Schaller.

On Wednesday, at 4 p. m., occurred the wedding of Mr. Geerge C. Lacy, of Savannah, and Miss Sallie Fleming, of Athens, at the Baptist church, Rev. C. D. Campbell performing the ceremony. The wedding party entered the church in the following order: Messis. Thomas A. Burke, Leon. D. Sledge, Leon H. Charbonnier, Jr., J. D. Mell, then came the groomsmen: Geo. D. Warthen, Savannah; W. P. Briggs, Athens; Frank Weldon, Savannah; W. P. Briggs, Athens; Frank Weldon, Savannah; Herbert Fleming, Athens; T. W. Mitchell, Macon; Dr. Wm. Rawlings, Sandersville; J. B. Floyd, Savannah; John S. Persons, Macon. The bridesmaids followed: Misses Maude Talmadge, Athens; Claudia Lewis, Montgomery; Sallie Maude Jones, Atlanta; Mary McGhèe, Atlanta; Mary McGhèe, Atlanta; Horida repaired to the home of Colouel Thomas Fleming, the bride's father, on Prince avenue, where they were handsomely entertained. The bride and groom left for Washington on the afternoon train.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. John W. Nevitt gave a delightful tea party to a few friends. Compl

Albany.

A pleasant german took place at Tift hall on Tuesday night. As usual it was a full dress affair, and a very enjoyable one. It was led by C. W. Rawson and Miss Saliie Tarver. Among those present were: Ziba Bennett and Miss Remson, W. H. Bennett and Miss Ella Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pope, R. L. Jones and Miss Annie May Raine, B. L. Weston and Miss Annie May Raine, B. L. Weston and Miss Chole Belle White, O. F. Tarver and Miss Nellie Francey, R. S. Patillo and Miss Katie Yancey, H. A. Tarver and Miss Nellie Yancey, R. S. Patillo and Miss Katie Yancey, H. A. Tarver and Miss Nellie Francey, R. S. Patillo and Miss Mary Warren, Joe Gilbert and Miss A. W. H. uderson, Messra, S. B. Wright, Chevie Davis, M. W. Weston, Jesse Feal. Eegant eards of invitation have been issued by the Beta alumus chapter of the Segma Alpha Epsilon, to their second annual hop, to take place at Tift's hall on the evening of the 23d. The class is composed of J. B. Beall, B. C. Collier, J. G. Davis, R. S. Parillo, J. D. Poje, Frank Sheffield, W. A. Strother, Jr.; H. A. Tarve, Jr.; M. W. Tift, R. H. Warren, R. L. Wes on, W. E. Weoten. The hell will be elegantly decorated for the occasion, and the hall promises to be a m st successful and brilliant affair.

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General P. M. B. Young was in the city for a few days last week.

Mr. B. Fyor is spending several days in the country, hunting,

Mr. F. Elmore Twitty is spending a few days with friends in Macon.

Mr. Steve N. Noble, of Ironton, Ala., is in the city, stopping at the Kimball.

Miss Jessie Moore, of Atlanta, left last week to visit friends in Saul Francisco.

Miss Sallie Sanders, of Atlanta, has left home to spend the holidays in Richmond, Va.

Miss Myra Thompson. of Cleveland, Tenn., is visiting Miss Enlaite Shasp, on Ivy street.

Dr. and Mrs. R. B. Ridley have returned home

winter here and is gaining in health and strength from our delighful climate and healing waters

Mrs. Blackwell, of Arkansas, formerly Miss Junic Chambers, of our town, is visiting her family Junie Chambers, of Oir 15 win, is visiting the many here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Murphy and family have moved to their new home in Atlanta.

Master Charile Hunt and Miss Marianne Hunt entertained quite a party of their little friends and classanates at their father's residence, on Greenwood street, last Friday night.

The Barnesville band is preparing to give a minstrel show during the Christmas nolidays. It will be a success. Whatever the band boys undertake succeeds.

Conyers.

Mr. Henry Almand, of Jackson, was in the city this week.

Rev. Jeff Christian, of Atlanta, visited relatives here during the week.

Dr. J. F. McCalla, of Monroe, visited friends here this week. his week. Mr. T. A. Murray, Jr., visited Acworth last Sunday.
Colonel C. T. Zachry, of Peachstone Shoals, was in the ci y last Thursday.
Mr. T. J. Mobley, of Walton county, was in the city last Monday.
Miss Nellie Summers, of Lithonia, visited Misses Cora and Lula Guinn last Sunday.
Mr. B. N. McKnight will move to town at an early day. Mr. B. N. McKnight will move to town at an early day.

The First Baptist Sunday school will have a Christmas tree on Monday night, 26th.

Dr. Hardwick, of Almon, has purchased Mr. Tom Brodnar's residence here and will move to town at an early day.

Clarkston.

The most brilliant social event that Clarkston ever witnessed was the marriage Wednesday evening at the Methodist church of Mr. Charles C. McClain, a prominent young business man of Atlanta, to Miss Jessie Vanghan, of Clarkston. The church was beautifully decorated with garlands of evergreens. In front of the chancel was a beautiful arch, with the initials "C" and "V" in monogram. Miss Sallie Boring presided at the organ and rendered sweetly Mendelssohn's wedding march. The attendants were Mr. Sam C. Ray, of Atlanta, and Miss Jenne Rankin, of Stone Mountain; Mr. C. H. Hutcheson, of Jonesboro, and Miss Irene Goldsmith, of Stone Mountain; Mr. Henry Goldsmith, of Atlanta, and Miss Lucy Vaughan, of Clarkston, and Master Dan Vaughan and Miss Jessie McClain. The ushers 'ee' Mr. Rob Daniel and Mr. Frank McClain. After the marriage the bride and groom and attendants, with quite a number of invited friends, repaired to the residence of the bride's father, Mr. J. C. Vaughan, where a bountiful feast was spread. The table was beautifully decorated. Upon each end were two large and handsome cakes, presented to the bride by Mrs. A. R. Lovejoy and Mrs. D. V. DuBose. The presents were numerous and handsome. Among them were noticed an elegant pair of slumber robes, by Hon. J. H. Mecasiin, of Atlanta; set of silver tablespoons, Tanner, Currier & Heath; toilet set, Mrs. C. & Rhodes; silver butter dish, Sam C. Ray; hand-painted cake trays, Misses Sallie and Adde Boring; toilet case, R. T. Daniel; whisk broom and pulsh holder, Mrs. C. & Crowe; pln cushion and mats, Mrs. E. A. Norman; pair vases, Miss Irene Goldsmith; oil painting, Miss Jennie Rankin; Book of Psalms, Miss Shackelford; silver butter dish, C. H. Hutcheson; bronze clock, from the fellow-employes of the groom, and many other presents.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. B. Johnstone, of Decatur, Ga.

## Cuthbert.

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Messrs. Thornwell Gamble and Joseph Aderhold, of Anniston, have been spending the week in Cuthbert.

On Friday night the young ladies of Miss Jones's select school gave a concert at Powell's hall. The programme was an interesting one and rendered in a captivating manner.

A trio of traveling Ci. inese will give a church entertainme it at the courthouse next Tuesday evening, a part of the proceeds to go to the Baptist church. A "chop stick" dinner party will be a prominent feature of the occasion.

Colonel W. C. Morrill visited Macon this week.

Colonel A. Hood spent a portion of the week with friends in Athens and Augusta.

Mrs. Lila Hood has returned from a pleasant visit to Albany.

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Judge Clarke spent the first of the week in At Judge Clarke spent the first of the week in Atlanta.

Mrs. A. K. Wilson, of Anniston, is expected to visit relatives in this place during the holidays.

Mrs. Branch, wife of the Methodist pastor of Dawson, is visiting friends in the city this week. Rev. Mr. Branch filled the pulpit here for four years previous to going to Dawson, and was greatly beloved by all denominations.

Miss A. D. Ledbetter, who has been visiting her brother, S. B. Ledbetter, has returned to her home in Cedartown.

The sociable given at the residence of Mr. A. H. Winn, Wednesday night, was a most delightful after. Mr. A. B. Marchman, of Powder Springs, is in Dallas visiting friends and relatives. The young folks' party, given at the residence of Mr. W. I. Fain, Monday night, the 12th inst., was much enjoyed by all in attendance. The party was given in honor of Misses Maud Butler, Lillie Smith, Master John Winn and Charles Fain.

Mr. W. E. Sessions, one of Terrell's citizens, moved this week to Sumner, Ga.

Captain M. H. Marshall, of the upper portion of this county, has moved to this city.

Mr. J. W. Fillingame, of Randolph county, has moved to our city and opened a ten cent store.

Mr. N. W. Dozler left last Tuesday for the convention at Sandersville.

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Mrs. F. A. Branch, Mrs. J. W. Turner, and Mrs. M.
C. Baldwin are visiting friends in Cuthbert.

Mr. H. T. Jackson, representing the Columbus En-quirer-Sun, visited our city this week.

Colonel Olive Wimberly and wife, of Macon, are visiting relatives in the city this week.

Hawkinsville. Rev. D. A. Geiger, a young divine of Mercer university, Macon, occupied the Baptist church pulpit last Sunday.

Mr. Guy Harvard left us last Sunday to accept a position in the Savannah, Florida and Western railway shops.

Miss Elsie Woodard and Miss Mattie Wynne, of Cochran, visited Miss Annie McCormick during the past week. past week.

Mrs. and Mr. Frank Ethridge went up to Westlak Mrs. and Mr. Frank Ethridge went up to Westlake this week to witness the marriage of the f. rmer's sister, Miss Lucretia Slappy, to Mr. Thomas, of Eastman.

Several Cochran young bloods were over our way Sunday, attracted by some fair ones in town.

The pupils of Miss Lula/Simpkins's school had a "winding up" sociable at the Institute building last Thursday night, and was heartily enjoyed by the crowd in attendance.

Hampton. Mrs. M. E. Turner, of McDonough, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. Tom Sutton.

Mr. W. B. Price, visited Stone Mountain this work. week.
Miss Della Moore, is in the city, the guest of the Misses Hillsman. Misse Bella Moore, is in the city, the guest of the Misses Hillisman.
Deputy Marshals iThompson and Sutton visited Griffin during the week, on business.
Cards are out announcing the marriage of Dr. R. J. Aracld to Miss Nellie Curry, Wednesday, December 28th, at their residence near Hampton.
Mrs. E. D. Hawkins is on a visit to Jonesboro.
Messra. Brown and Lawrence, of Jonesboro, were in the city Tuesday.
M. B.: Addie Moran has returned home from a visit to Barnesville.

M 8: Addie Moran has returned home from a visit to Burnesville.

At the residence of Judge Ben P. Thompson, on last We n sday night, there was quite a pleasant entertainment, given in honor of the "little folks." Miss Vickie, the charming hostess, is untiring in her efforts at giving pleasure to her guests, and so pleasantly was the evening spent by the "little ones." they were loth to depart.

Messrs. Brown and Walker, of Griffin, were in the city Binday.

Professor J. A. Morris has gone to Chattanooga to enter business.

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Colonel Henry Peebles spent Wednesday in Grif-Mr. We were pleased to see Mr. Whit Crookshank on our streets this week.
Dr. J. C. Turnipseed visited Griffin during the week.
Mrs. Sutton gave quite a delightful dance Friday night.

The tea-drinking given by Miss Belle Bayless Friday evening was a very pleasant affair and greatly enjoyed by those invited.

Mrs. E. J. Hargis and son, Fred, paid Carteisville a visit during the week.

Our friend Joe P. Bowdotn, of Atlanta, was up Sunday on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Anderson.

Miss Serena McChesney Duniap, one of our most popular young ladies, spent Tuesday in Cartersville.

The Christmas tree bids fair to be a success. The young people are making extensive proparations. roe Caristimas free bids are to be a success. The young people are making extensive preparations. Miss lazzie White, daughter of Rev. J. M. White, and one of the belies of Kingston, left Monday for Atlanta on a visit to friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. White and family left for Birmingham Weduesday, and will make that city their future home.

LaGrange Society has been made lively the past week by a most happy marriage, the contracting parties being Mr. Eustace C. Benson, of Decatur, Ala, and Miss Lucio F. Todd, of LaGrange. The ecremony was performed in the Baptist church, the party entering in the following order: Professor C. C. Cox, LaGrange, and Miss Mamie Paul, of Montgomery; Mr. J. H. Todd, of Nashville, and Miss Fanule Walker, LaGrange; Mr. J. E. Gatland, of Montgomery, and Miss Florida Ferrell, of LaGrange; Mr. Julius Riggs, of Montgomery, and Miss Dora Montgomery, of LaGrange; Mr. P. H. Todd, of LaGrange, and Miss Susia Brown, of Montgomery, Mr. A. R. Brown, M

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137 dozen White Silk Brocaded Handkerchiefs at 10c.; worth 25c. 94 dozen Hemstitched Japanese Silk Handkerchiefs, all colors, at 15c. 46 dozen White and Colored Brocaded Silk Handkerchiefs, very

fine goods, worth 75c. to \$1 we marked down to 25c. to 75c.

127 dozen Gent's Silk Hemstitched Handkerchiefs at 30, 50 and 75c.;

50 per cent lower than you can buy the same goods elsewhere. Cashmere Mufflers at 40 and 50c.

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55 dozen fine French Kid Gloves, with fancy welt and elegant embroidered, 75c. Every pair fitted and warranted. These gloves would be cheap at \$1.50.

48 dozen 8-Button Musquetaire Undressed, in tan and brown, 60c. 23 dozen Gents' Alexander Kid Gloves, \$1, reduced from \$1.50. We keep the largest assortment of Gents', Ladies' and Children's Lined and Fur-top Gloves, prices all reduced from 50c up.

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n large variety. Elbow and Shoulder lengths in Kid Gloves, plain and! lace top Mitts in white, cream, tan and evening shades. Novelties in Ostrich and Swan Feather and Gauze Fans.

Ladies' All Silk Hose at \$1.25, worth \$2. Men's, Ladies' and Children's Wool and Fleece-lined Hosiery educed to cost. Great bargains in Cotton Hosiery this week. It will pay you to ex-

nine our stock before you buy. Boys' Windsor Scarfs in endless variety of styles. Men's Satin Scarts, 15c and 25c. Prices elsewhere, 35 and 50c. Men's four-ply Linen Collars, 10c. Cuffs, 15c.

Ladies' Linen Collars with Capes, 5c.
Astonishing bargains in Leather Satchels and Purses, goods worth from 50c to \$2 we are selling at half price. All woolen goods as Underwear, Shawls, Balmoral Skirts, Hoods and

Sacques reduced to less than cost. For genuine bargains, come to Simon & Frohsin, 43 Whitehall Street.

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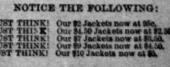
## Toys! Toys!

Eureka Baby Swing at \$2.50; New Ten Pin Gamo at \$1; Iron Rallroad Train at \$60; Iron Dump Caris at \$1; Tin Express Wagons at 500; Jonah Mechaniz cal Bank at \$1; Kicking Cow Bank at \$1; Tin Stoves at 550 up to 750; Extension Tables at \$1; Velocipedes from \$5 up to \$5.00 k Express Wagons from \$1 up to \$1.75; Combination Lock Banks at \$50; Cherry Furniture Sots at \$1; Parcheesi Board complete at \$1.25; Great World's Educator at \$1, Horns at \$2. All kinds mechanical toys \$1 up. Double Case Watches at \$60; Wheelbarrows 50 to \$1. Military Outnis at \$1.25; Rocking Horses \$1.25 to \$3; Writing Desks at \$60; Secretaries \$1 to \$5; Carpet Rockers at \$1,25 Rubber Balls, Trumpets, Cradics, Swings, Lanndry Sets, Chairs, etc., etc. Spiral Railroads at 25c; Parlor Croquet 85c.
Read and Learn blocks at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.
A. B. C and picture blocks at 75c and 90c.
Jolly Go Round, \$1.
Pairies' Alphabet at 50c and \$1.
Box of tricks at 25c to \$1.
Little Red Riding Hood game at \$1.
Japanese Ten Pins at \$1, Race game at 50c; Fish pond at 50c; New Bowling alley at \$1.25; Battle Door and Shuttle Cook at 50c; Magnetic toys at 10c. Schoenhut's Standard Pianos at \$1; Schoenut's Upright Pianos at \$2.
Toboggan Slide at \$1; Pied Piper at Hamelin, 75c; Assorted games for girls at 50c; Jack straws, 20c.
Monadnock steam saw mill at \$1.
Pitch and toss 75c.
Student's book shelves at 60c.
Brass drums at 35c, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.
Dickery Dickery Dock at 30c, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.
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Celebrated Wilcox gun at 60c and 85c.
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Celebrated Pickery Bork at 30c, 50c, 60c, 75c and \$1.
Tossy Turvy, \$1.

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Topsy Turvy, \$1.
Dolls' Willow Carriages, 50c.
Dolls' Willow Carriages, canopy top, 85c.
Baby's Nursing Bottle, 5c.
Steel Saw and Buck, \$1.25.
Folding Work Table and Cheeker Board, \$1.50.
Oak Bedsteads, Vencered, \$1.
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Brass Trombones, 12 keys, 75c.
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SOME OF THE OPERA HOUSE BOOKINGS News of Playhouses, Plays and Players—The Grand Lodge of Elks Elects Officers—

The bookings at DeGive's include some of he best attractions on the road. Almost every ight between now and March first has been filled, here not being an open date in December or Janu-try. This work we have Frank Bangs and the Maccollin opera company, che Bijou Opera com-pany and Katie Putnam. The January bookings include such excellent attractions as Booth and Bar-rett, Rhea, Lonis James and Marie Wainwright, Rob-ert Downing, Heid by the Enemy, Effie Elisler, Mc. Intyre & Heath's Minstrels and a number of others.

From the Footlights.

As will be seen by the cast of characters for Francesca Rimini, Mr. Bangs has with him a number of actors of ability. Many of them were with the Booth and Barrett companies last year. Mr. John M. Sturgeon is one of the leading young actor, in the country; Mr. St. Clair has a good reputation, and Miss Leigh is a great ravorite. The company is said to be excellent as a whole.

Speaking of "Evangeline," as recently produced here, the Evening Capital said, in substance, that it "said nothing of the performance because it could say nothing good." Without disputing that statement, this question might not be inappropriate right here: Was not that criticism due to the fact that a writer for the paper in question had some trouble with the manager of the Evangeline over admission to the theater? Criticism that is based on personal critical court harm analysis. It may be that there spite doesn't harm anybody. It may be that there was no spite in this case, and it may be that there was quite a good deal.

The Grand Lodge of B. P. O. Elks met in New York last Sunday and Monday. A good deal of important business was transacted. There was a heated contest over the matter of holding the sessions of the grand lodge outside of New York city, and it was finally decided that the charter of the grand lodge made that impossible.

The officers for the ensuing year are: Exafted grand ruler, Dr. Hamfiton Leach, of Washington, D. C.; esteemed leading grand knight, Judge Jones, of St. Louis; esteemed leading loyal knight, Percy G. Williams, of Brooklyn; esteemed lecturing grand knight, Emil Boulier, of Louisville, Ky.; grand sec-retary, Arthur C. Moreland, of New York; grand trensurer, Hugh P. O'Nell; trustees, Edward Walker, Henry Palmer, John J. Lindale, of New York, Simon Quinlan, of Chicago, and Frank Moran, of Philadel-phia; grand tyler, Ezekiel Chamberlain, of New York.

### THE THEATER THIS WEEK.

Francesca Di Rimini-Bardi and the Mac Collin Opera Company the Attractions. FRANCESCA DI RIMINI.

Monday and Tuesday, with matinee, this great production will be presented in our city. Mr. F. C. Bangs, of "Silver King" fame, is the leading star, and the charming Helen Leigh is the lady star.
Mr. Bangs is too well known to need any introduction to Atlanta people. Miss Leigh is one of the favorite actresses of New York, and she will, no doubt, be enthusiastically received here.

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Every theater goer will remember that Mr. Earrett played Francesca Di Remini in Atlanta two
years ago. Since going in his mammoth combination with Mr. Booth he has entrusted the interpren of his tragedy to Mr. Bangs, who comes south with all the seenery, costumes, effects and proper ties of the original production. The performance

Head of the Ghibelins Mr. J. D. Williams

PROFESSOR BARILI AND THE POLYMNIA CLUB. The concert to be given by the Polymnia club, under the direction of Mr. Alfredo Barili, on Wednesday evening next, for the benefit of the confederate veterans, promises to be a notable event in the season's musical entertainments. Mr. Barili will be assisted, in connection with the Polymnia club, by Mad. Emily Von der Hoya, the eminent planist, Master Armadeo Von der Hoya, the brilliant young violin virtuoso, and Mr. Engene. Hardeman planist, Master Armadeo Von der Hoya, the brilliant young violin virtuoso, land Mr. Eugene Hardeman, Atlanta's avorite baritone. Master Armadeo has been working most assiduously since his return from the tutilege of the European masters, and is considered, probably, the most remarkable violinist of his age flying. His reception at the veterans' benefit will, doubtless, be an ovation. The Polymnia club has been practicing hard for several months, and it is safe to say that better executed and modulated choruses were never heard in Atlanta than they will present on Wednesday evening. Mrs. Afredo Barili will be the accompanist for the concert. The cause is sufficient recommendation in itself, and the opera house should be packed to overflowing.

'Admission 50 cents, Tickets for sale at the bookstores.

THE MAC COLLIN OPERA COMPANY. For three nights and one matinee, beginning

For three nights and one matinee, beginning Thursday, this organization will play return dates at the opera house. They have left such a pleasant record while I ere during the exposition that they will be warmly welcomed. Since playing here, the company was in Richmond, Charleston, Savannah, etc., and has everywhere been requested to return. The following is from the Richmond Dispatch, of November, 29th, last:

"The Richmond theater is occupied by the MacCollin opera company for the entire week. T is company has given great satisfaction. It is evenly balanced, and has an excellent chorus that renders it certainly the equal of any that have come to this city. One remarkable thing in their performance is the even manner in which every opera is rendered. It is a harmony of the whole, without such distinctive outlines that create an unpleasant contrast. The MacCollin opera company must be taken in its entirety, and with this view, it is reality a most enjoyable presentation. Last night, Francois, the Bine Stocking, was the opera, the work of Verny and Bermicat. It was well given by the company. Miss Fannie D. Hall as "Fannine," gave evidence of her title of prima donna, both in her singing and acting. Miss Bebe Vining was a love of a "Nicholet," and Miss Alice Gaillard, as the "Countess," deserves great praise. Gaillard, as the "Countess," deserves great praise.

From the Footlights.

Frank Celli is a brother of W. T. Carleton. Corinne is fourteen years old on Christmas Colonel Miles's new star, Miss Julia Mar-lowe, made quite a hit as Juliet. Frederick Warde played to twenty-three thousand people last week in Philadelphia.

Rudolph Aronson and Harry Paulton have written a comic opera called "Captain Kidd."

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Imre Kiralfy's glittering and sensuous "Lagardee" is proving to be a joy to the dudes and baidbeads of the west.

Chevaller Blondin, the famous tight-rope artist, is filling engagements in the large cities of France and Germany.

Nadage Doree, who can with all truthfulness be claimed as an Atlanta girl, has made a decided bit in Mrs. Langtry's support.

It is reported on good authority that Geraldine Ilmer, the pretty Yum Yum will shortly become Mrs. Sir Arthur Sullivan.

"Elaine" is a success. Miss Annie Russell in the title role receives unstitted praise and Miss Marie Buir zuglis has made a hit as Genevieve.

The "Smith Family," a comic opera, has gone under, stranding among others such good people as ida Mulle, Marie Sawyer and Ed Chapman.

The story that Harry Dixey is on the outs with bis partners, Barton and Miles, is vigorously denied by all concerned. For the 85 weeks of its run "Adonis" has aversged \$5,000 a week.

Steele Mackaye's play, "Paul Kanvar, or Anaschy" will be produced at the Stavelanter.

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Steele Mackaye's play, "Paul Kanvar, or Anarchy," will be produced at the Standard theater, New York, Christmas eve, with Joseph Haworth, Wilton Lackaye, Sidney Drew, Miss Annie Robe, Louise Rial and Lillie Eldridge in the leading parts. The Kate Bensberg English Opera com-pany will pay a visit to Atlanta January 4 and 5, and will present then in the most artistic style the following genrs: "L'Omb's a." of Flotow; "L'Eclair," of Halery; "Martha" and others.

The third generation of the Chanfran family made its first appearance on the stage at the Wilmington Grand opera house recently. The new comer was Henry F. Chanfran, six months old, the

son of Henry T. Chanfrau and the grands of Frank B. Chanfrau, the Kil of other days.

In the comic opera line the latest "possibility" is a recently talked of revival of Strauss' most uneful at M most successful comique, the "Merry War." It is proposed to have a new libretto written, to put the piece on in gorgeous spectacular style, with a beautiful chorus of a hundred.

John S. Clarke, the comedian, contemplates following his revival of "Speed the Plow," in Philadelphia, with special productions of old English comedies, some of which have not been done in many years. The list will probably include "A Care for the Heart Ache," "She Stoops to Conquer," "The Rivals" and "The School for S andal."

Frank McNish states that when he severs his connection with Johnson and Siavin he will immediately organize another company inder the name of McNish, Ramza & Arno. All the papers have been signed and the best people being booked. Charles W. Roberts will be the manager. Mr. McNish holds that a number of things caused the split between him and his present partners. Frank W. Ramza and Charles Arno are McNish's partners in the new deal.

The Dramatic News Town Crier says:

In the new deal.

The Dramatic News Town Crier says:
Boucicault confesses that he imagines bimself to be
the only man who can play Hamlet, but he refrains
from impersonating the melancholy Dane because
no one else shares his opinion. What a blessing it
would be if his example in this respect were generally followed. How many inflictions would we be
spared, and how many heartaches would be avoided by the victims of misdirected eadeavor!

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spared, and how many heartaches would be avoided by the victims of misdirected endeavor?

Phoenix T. Barnum ought to rewrite his life. The Bridgeport blaze and the results thereof would form a chapter as cleveras any in the present book. The apex of advertising audacity is reached in the announcement that "Mrs. Gilligan, the heroine of the adventure with the escaped lion from the Barnum show, has settled with Barnum for the loss of her cow and has signed a contract with agents of the great show to travel and exhibit herself next season." This, in a word, is sureed. After reading it all other circus managers will please fail off the planet.

It is stated that Philadelphia play-goers may expect a sensation shortly. A well-known society lady in that city has been secretly studying for the stage for more than a year. Her friends have begged and Il-aded with her to forego her intention, but she is obdurate. She declares that she will positively make her debut, and her family have openly declared that they will resort to extreme, in fact, to legal measures, to prevent her from becoming an actress. An application for an injunction may be looked for if the worst comes.

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A funny incident lately happened to Miss Lilian Olcott. In the audience, one night, was a patriot's irishman. When he saw the empress appear in all her regal glory, his enthusiasm got fired, and he yelled at the top of his voice: "Durn the oneen of England!" A dozen unbers and a police. and he yelled at the top of his voice: "Durn the queen of England!" A dozen ushers and a policeman or two rushed to the beiggenet frishman and explained the historical situation to his satisfaction, but, true to the instincts of his race, he was bound to have the last say, so, as the curtain was rung down on the last act, he yelled once again: "God bless Lilian Oicott, but darun the queen of England."

Sydney Rosenfeld will have three pieces rumning in New York next spring. "The Ooiah" at the Casino: "A Possible Case" at the Union Square theater, and "The Lady or the Tiger" at Wallack's. The first is on a Persian subject, and Franc's Wilson will be seen in the title role; the second is an entirely original American comedy, which will be played by a company specially engaged, and the third a Gracian operatic targe-comedy, in which DeWolf Hopper will have the leading part, that of the Spartan King, Pasanias.

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DeWolf Hopper will have the leading part, that of the Sparian King, Pasarias.

Here is one of the sentiments which Washins ton scribbled on the pages of an old book, of which Francis Wilson is the happy owner: "Who copy nature should describe character as they are. It is the office of the stage to present a mimic representation of men and manners, which, to excel, must be a perfect likeness, It is objected, therefore, that the stage by fits exhibitions will become princious to morals. That objection applies with more force against the manners in real life. God has given the wicked for an example as well as the righteous. It is the part of wisdom to make use of both to warn and instruct her pugilis. The evil lies in the neglect of a duty so sacred and so necessary. It is the province of every author to allot to wittue and to vice their proper and suitable catastrophe, and he should appoint some of his personages to act the monitor, to comment in maniy and pertinent language the principal characters exhibited in his play, or the instruction of his audience."

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In the absence of Rev. A. G. Wordlaw, the new pastor of Park street church, who will not be able to reach his new charge for a day or two yet, the Rev. W. W. Wadsworth, the efficient presiding elder of the South Atlanta district, will preach this morning at this church. Mr. Wadsworth preaches with much earnestness and ability and Perk street chorch always gives him a hearty welcome. Let all who can attend.

### STATE SOCIETY.

gomery, and Ida Stakely, LaGrange, and Mr. Eustace C. Benson and Miss Lucie F. Todd. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Ford in a most graceful and impressive manner, and before a large audience they were made one by the heaven ordained rites, and left at once for Decatur, Ala., their future home. a large audience they were made one by the heaven ordained rites, and left at once for Decatur, Ala., their future home.

Mrs. R. P. Abraham and children are visiting relatives in New Orleans.

Miss Jessie Burnett, one of Columbus's most accomplished young ladies, who has been visiting Miss Blanche McFarlin, has returned home.

Judge T. H. Waitaker has been attending Greenville anpedor court this week.

Robert Park, of West Point Military academy, is at home for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marsh, accompanied by their son, E. W. Marsh, Jr., spent last Monday night in LaGrange, on their way to San Antonia, Texas.

The teachers and pupils of LaGrange Female college will give a concert on next Taursday evening as a Christmas eve surprise. The entire community expect a rare treat from the solos that will be rendered by Miss Witherspoon.

Mr. E. H. Lester, visited Athens Thursday, also Mr. Sanders Faust, buying presents.
Miss Bertie Bacon arrived home from Athens Saturday, to spend the holidays.
Mrs. James A. Hensley, Miss Nella, and Professor Thomas B. Moss, returned from a visit to Athens, Velnesday.

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Mrs. F. H. Fivey and daughter, Miss May, visited & lends here Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Smith, will board with their mother, Mrs. M. J. Smith, in January next.

Mrs. J. T. M. Haire, is expecting her mother, Mrs. Niles, of East Tennessee, to visit here in January. Rev. Thomas H. Gibson will soon return from conference, and will preach for us another year.

Miss Jennie Lou Knox and Mr. Edgar Wise dined with Mr. and Mrs. George C. Smith, Tuesday last.

Miss Minnie Callaway, has a fine collection of her own paintings, executed while at the art school. She has exhibited wonderful powers in her works.

Mr. Walter Lester, of a good family, and of a good character, has gone to Atlants, to seek employment.

ment.

A Macon contractor has had a sample of our granite expressed him, with the view of purchasing

At the Baptist church 8 p. m., Rev. O. A. Thrower joined in holy wedlock, Mr. W.- L. Davis, of Augusta, and Miss Jennie Campbell.
The echo of the wedding bells will be heard several times in Monticello this winter.

Reynolds. Mr. J. C. Calhoun and his son, Hendley, of grunswick, have been spending several days in own.
Miss Mattie Lewis, of Hawkinsville, has been visting Miss Nettie Para during the past week.
Miss Lizzie Gostin, of Carsonville, has been visiting relatives in town. Miss lizzie dostii, of caisorrate, ing relatives in town.

The young people enjoyed a rare treat last Monday night in an old fashioned and ynulling at the Paris house, given in honor of Miss Lewis.

Thursday evening, at the residence of the bride's father. Mr. J. H. Sanders, Mr. J. H. Whatley was united in matrimony to Miss Lizzie Sanders. Mr. C. B. Marshall officiating.

Quite a number of young people drove in the country about a mile from town last Thesday evening and partook of an elegant "tea" at the hospitable home of Captain J. P. Carson.

Rockmart. Mrs. S. E. Smith visited Stilesboro during the past week.

John Fambro spent last Mondayin the gate of ty.
On Simday evening last, at 4 o'clock, Mr. Will Norton and Miss Mary Slate were united in marriage, Rev. James Mr Byde officiating, in the presence of a few friends.

The beautiful home of Colonel and Mrs. James F. Dever, on the bank of the Euharlee was, on last Friday evening, the scene of much merriment and festivity. I was the occasion of the most delightful oyster supper, given by the young men of Rockmart. The hostess, Miss Dora, received and entertained her quests with characteristic ease and grace. At 10 o'clock the guests were invited into the dining-room to a repast fit for the immaculate. A more elegant and suppruous feast is rarely served. At a late hour, when another day was announced to have begun, the happy throng, intoxicated with the pleasures of a most delightful o casion, reluctantly dispersed, feeling grateful to the queenly 1 o'cess for their unmeasured hospitality. Those present were Dr. Cochran and Miss Dora Dever, S. S. Pierce and Miss Ida Presley, W. Lovelace and Miss Clara Terhune, J. A. Fambro and Miss Mattic Cochran, R. L. Krypatrick and Miss Miss Pillie Williams, M. C. H. t. hins and wife and Mrs. Colonel Union. Mrs. S. E. Smith visited Stilesboro during

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My stock of Fine Silk and Pongee Handkerchiefs is simply immense.
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\$2.00.

One rack, only 46 in this lot, of fine checked and cloth tailer Jackets, choice \$3.

One rack of fine Jackets, very fine goods here, same sold at \$10.00 each; choice. this

rack at \$4.

One rack of the nobbiest Jackets of the season, sold lots of them at \$12 each; choice, this lot, \$5.

One lot Ladies' Newmarkets, nice cloth, nicely trimmed, a great slaughter, at \$3.25.

One lot Ladies' Fine Newmarkets, not half

One lot Ladies' Fine Newmarkets, not hair price, at \$4.
One rack Fine Plaid Newmarkets that were \$10 and \$12.50, choice lot \$6.
One lot of Fine Diagonal Cloth Raglans, all the style, worth \$12, at \$6.50.

129 Fine Short Wraps, in Astrachan and Cloth, left. Price almost next to nothing.
94 Fine Plush Short Wraps will be closed out at \$12.50, 15, \$17.50, 18.50, 20. They are now at one-half what we sold them three weeks ago.

One lot of Children's Cloaks, only one sold to any one, at 50c each.

Read carefully what I offer. Fix it in your mind. Then come and see if it is not in accord with the facts. If my slashing of prices in the past has been productive of resentment in the minds of competitors, I would not hazard an opinion as to the result from this time forth. veeks ago. One lot of Children's Cloaks, only one sold

## HIGH

Will Offer this Week

Greatest Bargains on Earth

Dress Goods Departm't.

Special sale of Dress Pattens Suitable for Holiday Presents.

High's Wonderful \$2.35 Suit contains eight yards Fine Double Width Material and 1½ yards Striped Plush. You can't get them elsewhere under \$4.

All Wool Whipcord Dress Patterns at \$2.50 each. 1,000 All Wool Dress Patterns at \$2.80 and 1,250 Fine Dress Patterns, actually at Half Price. Make somebody bears, the

Price. Make somebody happy by buying one of those fine suits. Wonderful bargains. At \$3.25, 4, 4.50, 5.50, 6.75 and \$8.50 suit. PRICES CUT TO THE CORE IN

FINE DRESS GOODS All my \$1.25 and \$1.50 Dress Goods reduced to 75c yard.

to 7%c yard.

All my 81 Dress goods reduced to 60c.

90 pieces Fine 6-4 All Wool Tricots, were

\$1.25, reduced to 75c.

CLOSING OUT -AT-

## LESS THAN HALF PRICE,

All the remnants and short lengths of Dress Goods. Now is the best time to buy them.

1 lot yard wide Body Cashmeres at 15c yard.
2,000 yards French Plaid Dress Goods, cheap at 35c, at 15c.
Large stock of Dress Goods marked down to 10 and 12½c yard.

GREAT SALE -OF-

## Black DressSilks

FOR FIVE DAYS ONLY.

Next week we take inventory. In order to reduce stock, we are going to offer the Entire Silk Stock for five days regardless of cost or selling price. Now this will be a Grand Opportunity to buy Silks at New York Import cost.

Black Cashmere Finish Gros Grains at 75c, worth \$1.

Extra quality Regatta Black Silks, worth \$1.15, at 85c.

Sublime finish Gros Grains, worth \$1.40, going for 5 days at \$1.

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Another lot Black French Failles, worth at any other place \$1.50, for 5 days at \$1.

Satin Duchess and Satin Rhadames, such as have sold this season at \$1.50, for 5 days at \$1.15.

In finer grades Black Silks the same ratio of reduction will be made. If you are thinking of buying a Black Silk, just come and see the best values in the universe, at \$1.25, \$1.43, \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.85 and \$2 yard.

## J. M. HIGH

Has just opened the largest and most elegant assortment of Evening Silks, Plushes and Gauzes ever seen in Atlanta.

GREAT SALE

## **COLORED DRESS SILKS** FOR ALL THIS WEEK.

Faille Française, all shades, 59c. Fine Gros Grains, all colors, worth \$1, at

Beautiful, all silk Rhadames, worth \$1, at Fine finish, all silk Mervilleaux, at \$1. The finest of genuine French Failles, at \$1.25.

NEW LOT OF PLUSHES TO OPEN ON MONDAY.

## HIGH'S Black Goods

DEPARTMENT

Done lots of business last week. No wonder. This week many more goods must be sold.

Just see the bargains in Black Cashmeres at 25c, 35c, 43c, 49c, 55c, 73e and 85c.

Black, all wool Serges, worth 75c the town All wool 44 inch Black Whip Cord, worth One lot very fine French Drap De Alma, worth everywhere \$1; this week at 70c.

All my Priestly's Silk Warp Henriettas will be offered at a reduction of 25 per cent.

# HIGH'S

2,000 Ladies' Oxadized Lace Pins, worth from 50 to 75c., at 25c each. Silver Rhine Stone Lace Pins, lovely grade, at \$1 each. Amber Lace Pins, gold mounted, at \$1, \$1.25 and \$1.50. Rich Rhme Stone Pins, silver mounted, at

## HIGH'S Notion Department.

400 Ladies' fine Russian leather Pocket Books, chamois lined and double chamois pock-et, nickel and gilt rims, splendid clasps; a reg-ular 85c book: this week at 39c. 40 dozen Ladies' fine Calf Portmoneaus, double clasps, double pockets, chamois lined, full nickel bound, at 50c.

At 50c one lot fine Russian leather Ladies' Pocket Books, 8 inches long, very finely finished—a nice present—at 50c.

Immense assortment new style Amber Hair Pins, at 7½, 10, 15, 20 and 25c.

500 new style Oxadized Girdles, lovely styles, at 35 and 50c.

Beautiful Rhine Stone Hair Pins, at 25c.

1 lot Crepe Stone Lace Pins, worth 75c, at 25c.

25c.

1 lot Oxadized Lace Pins at 15c; worth 50c.
1,500 Ladies' Hand Satchels, at 25, 50c, \$1 to
\$2.50 each.

Tetlen's Gossamer, in nice cases, at 25c each.
1 lot Box Writing Paper at 15c.
200 Boxes Fine Writing Paper, at 25c.
Extra fine quality Writing Paper, at 35c.
Immense lot Wisp Brooms, at 15, 20 and 25c.
Sterling Silver Thimbles at 25c each.

Colgate's Celebrated Cashmere Bouquet
Perfume, worth 40c, at 25c.
Cashmere Bouquet Perfume, 2 ounce bottles,
worth 75c, at 50c.
White Rose Perfume, 2 ounces, at 50c.
"Tappan's" Glass Shoe White Rose Perfume, 2 ounce bottles, at 25c.
Colgate's Ambrosial Toilet Water, Florida
Water and Bay Rum.

Colgate's Fine Toilet Soaps still being sold at New York prices.

Cashmere Bouquet 21c.
Margarite, Seventh Regiment, Golden Rod, Nursery and Glycerine Toilet Soaps at 17c cake.

Colgate's White Wing, Toilet Soaps 2 cakes

cake.
Colgate's White Wing Toilet Soap, 3 cakes in box, usual price 35c box, High's price 20c. Colgate's Turkish Bath Soap at 50c dozen.

## HIGH'S Art Embroidery Dept

1 lot Crepe Stamped Tidies, new style, in Drab, Light Blue and Yellow, at 124c. 1 immense lot Stamped Linen Tidies at 10c. Big drive in Stamped Linen Tidies, tied fringe, at 25c.

fringe, at 25c.

1 lot Stamped Linen Table Scarfs at 50c.

1 lot Very Fine Linen Table Scarfs, striped centers, at 75c. Immense lot Felt Tidies, ready stamped, at

Special lot Tied Fringe Linen Tidies, striped centers, all finished, at 15c.

Two bargains in Stamped Pillow Shams at 25 and 35c pair.

Felt Table Scarfs and Lambequins, worth \$1.50, at 75c.

A few years for Experiments

A few very fine Felt Lambequins at \$1 to \$2.25. At \$1 each Chenille, Plush and Jute Table At \$1.50 large size Turcoman Table Covers. At \$1.75 lovely Raw Silk Table Covers.

Forty styles of Piano Covers, new lot just opened, \$4, \$5, \$6.50, \$7.75, \$8.50.

J. M. HIGH'S Stores will be opened every evening this week until 9 o'clock. Special bargains will be offered every night.

LACE CURTAINS ---AND---

Turcoman Portier Curlains AT HALF PRICE.

## HIGH'S LINEN DEPARTMENT

Will offer on tomorrow morning the largest and richest assortment of Fine Linen Damask Cloths, with Napkins to match, from \$4 to

Cloths, with Napkins to match, from \$\frac{1}{2}\$ to \$\frac{1}{2}\$ fo set.

Special sale on tomorrow of 89 dozen very fine Damask Towels, tied fringe, plain white and colored borders, full bleached and worth everywhere \$\frac{5}{2}.50 dozen, tomorrow at \$\frac{3}{2} dozen.

1 Lot 22x45 All Linen Huck Towels, reduced from \$\frac{3}{2} dozen to \$\frac{2}{2} dozen.

1 lot 19x38 inch fine quality Huck Towels, at \$1.50 dozen.

1.000 dozen Huck Towels, 36 inches long, at

at \$1.50 dozen.

1,000 dozen Huck Towels, 36 inches long, at \$1 dozen.

New lot Tray Covers, some beauties. at 50c,

New lot Tray Covers, some beauties. at 50c, 75c and \$1.

Special bargains in large, white Dinner Napkins, worth \$2, at \$1.25 dozen.

1 lot bleached Damask, slightly shopworn, at 38c yard.

Just opened, 85 pieces white and cream Damasks, at much less than ever sold here-tofore. Great bargains at 15c, 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c, \$1, 81.25 and \$1.50 yard.

At \$2.25 each, large size, white Marseilles Counterpanes, actually cheap at \$3.50.

1,000 White Quilts, better bargains than can be had elsewhere, at 50c, 75c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.29 and \$1.50.

1,500 Bed Comforts left, bargains at 50c, 75c, \$1.25, \$1.50.

## HIGH'S

Offers bargains this week,

## Standard Prints, 5c. Off styles in Prints, at 3c. French Satins, at 12½c. New styles Ginghams, at 10 and 12½c. Still selling Henry Bleached English She HIGHS'

Substantial Christmas Presents.

Rich Feather Fans, at \$1. Gents' Silk Wristletts, at 50c pair. Gents' Embroidered Silk Smoking Jackets. 1,000 Gents' fine Satin lined Scarfs, worth,

50c, at 25c.
350 dozen extra fine quality new style Scarfs at 50c.

SILK MUFFLERS.

A few dozen very fine Paris and Vienna Evening Fans. At \$2.75 each a lovely quality Gents' Silk Umbrella, with Sterling silver head. At \$6 per set, I offer some beautiful sets of Fur Muffs and Boas. New lot of Lynx Muffs and Boas just opened.

THE BLACK DRESS SILKS

I offer this week at \$1 yard have never been seen in Atlanta for anything like the price.
At 37½ cents per yard, I offer all wool Black Cashmeres, 42 inches wide, and worth anywhere 60c yard.

LACE CURTAINS

\_\_\_\_AND\_\_\_\_

Fine Turcoman Portier Curtains

Wil. old on tomorrow and every day an evening av 50c on the dollar.

HIGH'S STORES

Until 9 O'clock.

Bed Blankets.

They must be sold. I am willing to make the sacrifice tomorrow and every day and

syening, \$20 fine California Bed Blankets, at \$9. \$15 fine Hollister Mills Bed Blankets, at

37.50. \$12 fine all wool Blankets, at \$6. \$10.00 Fine All Wool Bed Blankets at \$5. \$8.00 All Wool Bed Blankets at \$4. \$7.00 Blankets at \$3.50. Some of above goods are slightly soiled, but nost of them are in good condition.

3 SPECIAL BARGAINS

-IN-

Colored Skirts.

1 lot Flannel Cloth Skirts, nicely plaited, reduced from \$1.25 to 75c.
1 lot Embroidered Ladies' Cloth Skirts,

were \$1.50, now \$1.

1 lot Unmade All Wool Skirt Patterns at \$1.25.

HIGH'S

Hosiery Department.

Special Christmas Bargains.

10c pair for Children's Ribbed Hose, in Gray

only.
12\(\frac{1}{2}\) pair for Men's Merino Half Hose, in
dark mixtures, worth 25c.
15c pair for Gents' full regular Balbriggan
Socks.

Socks.

20e pair Gents' Very Fine British Socks.

20e pair Children's Real French Ribbed
Hose, worth 25c.

15c pair Ladies' Black and Solid Colored full
regular made Ingrain Hose, usually sold at 25c.

15c pair Ladies' full regular made Balbriggans, reduced from 20c.

10c pair Ladies' full regular made Balbriggan Hose, worth 15c.

25c pair Ladies' Fast Black full regular
made Hose. Best in the world at the price.

25c pair "Ladies" Extra Cable Twist Ironclad Unbleached Hose. Only place to get
them.

Don't fail to see the Beautiful

Will Offer Better Bargains this Week than Ever Before.

39c each for Mens' all wool red Shirts and Drawers.
65c each for Men's all wool, red Medicated Shirts and Drawer, reduced from \$1.
90c each for Men's all wool Medicated Scarlet Shirts and Drawers, reduced from \$1.50.
35c each for Men's White Merino Shirts, were 50c. were 50c. 50c each for Men's Camel's Hair Shirts and

## Drawers. 75c each for Men's White Merino Shirts and Drawers, worth \$1. HIGH

Is Closing Out His Entire Stock of Children's, Misses' and Boy's

## Knit Underwear,

At First Cost for this Week. 50c each, Ladies' very fine White Merine Vests, pearl buttons, silk stitched, worth 75c.

65c each, Ladies' Scarlet Vests, Pants to match, reduced from \$1.

Gents' Furnishing at 25c each, the choice of two hundred styles. Men's fine Teck and Puff Scarfs, satin lined, and worth 50c.

50c each Gentlemen's very fine Silk Scarfa in neat and stylish patterns, very fine goods, and worth at most places \$1.

25c each Gents' Suspenders, extra nice. 50c each Gents' fine Silk Embroidered Sus

Will Be Opened Every Night This Week

## Substantial Presents something for Almost Nothing. I am Over-

One of those Black Silks I am offering at \$1 yard.

Dress Patterns, all wool material, at \$2,50.

Beautiful Braided Dress Patterns at \$3.75.

Seal Plush Wraps at \$12.50.

Elegant Bric-a-Brac.

## HIGH'S MILLINERY DEPARTMENT

Offers at 25c Children's Toboggan Caps, nicels Elegant assortment of new styles Toboggan Caps, bargains at 35, 50, 75c and \$1. Everything in the Millinery line will be sold at a reduction of 50 per cent.

## HIGH'S KID GLOVE DEPARTMENT. Grand Holiday Bargains!

Ladies' 4-Button Scolloped Topped Kid Gloves cannot be matched at 39c.

At 75c Ladies' fine embroidered Kid Gloves, all shades and sizes, worth elsewhere \$1.50.

\$1 pair for the celebrated "Alexander," 4-Button, embroidered back Kid Gloves.

\$1.25 pair the popular "Czanna," embroidered back Kid Glove.

At \$1.50 "Finand & Cie," fine pairs, embroidered Kid Gloves, actually worth \$2.50.

Large assortment all kinds of Fabric Gloves,
At \$1.50 pair Gents' Fine Foster Kid Gloves.

Gents' Fur Top Dogskin Gloves. Gents' Driving Gloves.

### HIGH Has Tust Opened a Large Lot

Fine Baskets for Holiday Presents

## High's Stores Open Every Evening

Will offer on Monday night Ladies' fine Silk Handkerchiefs, Hemstitched and Warranted all silk, at 12\( \)c each. Not more than two will be sold to anyone.

Special bargains will be offered every night this week.

Follow the crowds; come early; come late; come often. Do not stop, but come direct to Headquarters, where the Lowest Prices, Bask Assortment and Best Attention is guaranteed everybody.

The Show Windows will be changed on Tuesday. A great treat is promised the young folks of Atlanta by a REAL, LIVE SANTA CLAUS, after Tuesday noon, at

M. HIGH'S.

ular.

25c pair Fleeced Lined Hose for Ladies.

10c pair Infants' all wool Hose, no seams.

19c pair Misses' all wool Hose, full regular made, and worth 30c.

15c pair Men's all wool Half Hose, no

33 1-3c Ladies' Hercules Ribbed Hose,

50c pair Bicycle Ribbed Hose. 25c pair for Ladies' All Wool Hose, full reg-ular.

seams.

25c pair Gents' all wool Hose, superior finish.

33de pair Gents' fine Cashmere all wool Half Hose.

### EAST MACON'S GHOST.

The Wail of a Woman Near the Big Factory.

INVESTIGATING THE STRANGE NOISE

And the "Sperrit" Found Out—A Cold Day in Macon—A Case Before Judge Clarke—Other News.

Macon, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—For a long time residents near the big factory, No. 1, of the Bibb manufacturing company, East Macon, have been troubled by a queer "hant." Macon, have been troubled by a queer "nant."
The "sperrit" never came out so that people could desermine what sort of looking thing it was. So long as the hundreds of busy hands were moving about the building and its network of complicated machinery, there was nothing seen or heard of the ghostly visitor.

But when the big bell had rung for the sus-pension of work, and the shadows of night fell on the broad expanse of level common,

pparently in mortal agony could be heard in-ide the big inclosure. It could not be dis-incity located, but appeared to be about the hiddle of a large open court yard near the

main building.

Vainly the curious eye of the listener peered into every nook and corner, for there was no apparition visible. It was only that low, grieving sound that startled the ear, blanched the check, and bristled the hair of those who

cheek, and bristied the hair of those who heard it.

On a dark night a short time ago, your correspondent was asked by Mr. James S. Campbell, superintendent, if he would like to accompany him on his rounds through the building and yards. The reporter gladly accepted the invitation, and the two set out on the nightly tour of investigation made by the superintendent to see that all is well. From building to building we went, some as hot as a Turkish bath with the steam from the huge caldrons in which the cotton and yarn is Beamed, others quite cool and chilly.

Just as we stepped out into the court yard the distant city clock tolled out midnight, and the city hall bell clanged to show that the police were watching the sleeping city. Another clang in the building overhead showed that the watchman hard by was also on guard. As the last echoes died away we caught

THE WILD CRY
from near the rear of the building.
It was the ghost of the factory.
Cautionsly we made our way around the
corner, and a thin wreath of mist ascended

from a small opening just ahead.
"We have found the ghost," exclaimed Superintendent Campbell.

The newspaper man felt the goose bumps on his spinal column. Going up near the little square opening the superintendent held his lantern down in the aperture, and the

THE GHOST HUNTERS

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laughed aloud, for the great sensation was spoiled in an instant. Down in the hole was a small pump arrangement, and the rod could be seen working to and fro. Just as regular as pulse beats, it sent out that wall of anguish. The cause was the loose packing around the rod, causing friction which produced the uncartily sounds in the yard.

The difficulty of locating the position of the thing was apparent from the almost perfect concealment of the small piece of machinery producing the sound, and which is busied all the live-long night in furnishing water to the big black boilers inside the building, the fires of which are never allowed to die out, except during the week of Christmas holidays.

### COLD WEATHER.

A Very Disagreeable Day in Macon-Wimbish's Prediction.

Macon, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—Last evening about four o'clock the rain set in, and it came down persistently during the greater portion of the night. This morning the clouds broke into rifts and a few glimpses of sunshine appeared about noon.

In the afternoon, however, the blizzard settled down to business, and it is growing colder every hour. Wimbish, the weather witch, predicted this sort of a spell a week ago, and his prediction has been most disagreeably verified. Colds, coughs, sore throats and pneumonia are quite prevalent. There have been some very severe cases, with a few deaths, during the past week or ten days. The mortality among the older citizens has been something remarkable, four having occurred on last Sunday.

MRS. MULHOLLAND'S CONDITION.

MRS. MULHOLLAND'S CONDITION. She is Still Very Critically III from her

Wounds.

Macon, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—Mrs Muhoiland, who was so terribly injured by the discharge of a shot gun Thursday night, over which she and her husband, Robert Mul-holland, were playfully tusseling, is still alive but considered as critically ill. Her lower jaw was broken, several teeth shattered and the whole left side of her face burned and laceratover the sad occurrence. The injured lady is quite young, having only been married a few years, and having one child.

A BIG CASE

Before Judge Richard H. Clarke in Cham-

Macon, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—To-day the case of the bondsmen against W. J. and C. S. Ross, administrators on the estate of J. R. Battle, from Schley county, was argued before Judge Richard H. Clarke in chambers here. The bondsmen were represented by E. G. Simmons, of Americus, and W. A. McCrary, of Ellaville, and the defense by Lyon & Estes. There is some four thousand dollars at stake. The case was not concluded. A COLLISION

Near M cVille on the East Tennessee, Vir Macon, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—Yesterday a freight train southward bound, ran into a pile driving train two miles above McVille, on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railroad. Both engines were considerably damaged. Only one man was hurt, the fireman on the piledriving train, who sprained his leg by jumping off. The flagman of the piledriver claims to have went the reqired distance and flagged the approaching freight, but as the latter was coming around a curve the men in charge failed to see the flagman in time to avert the accident.

AN ENJOYABLE OCCASION.

Major Hanson Sets 'Em Up to the Members of Post B.

Macon, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—This evening a most interesting entertainment was given by Major J. F. Hanson to the members of Post B. Travelers' Protective association in the way of a dinner at the Hotel Lamier. The banquet was gotten up in the most beautiful style, and those present most heartily enjoyed it. Major Hanson proved as, usual, one of the most gallant of hosts, and the whole affair passed off most merrily. There were the usual number of bright speeches and appropriate toasts given.

MRS. EDWARDS'S BENIAL.

She Did Not Carry a Pistol to the Court-Macon, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—Mrs.
Florine Edwards denies most emphatically
that she put a pistol into her pocket when she
left her heme in East Macon to attend the
Tom Woolfolk trial Friday. Mr. Jud Edwards says he knows positively that she did not.

BIRD HUNTING IN BABUN.

Good Records Made by Some Amateur Hun-Good Records Made by Some Amateur Hunters.

CLAYTON, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—Yes terday was a lucky day for some of our sportsmen. P. A. Robinson and Wm. Berry from Paluld Fails, and Dr. Sinns made a raid on the bird tribe in Tennessee valley. The gentlemen were well equiped with trained dogs and fine shot guns. They returned at night with fifteen birds. The afternoon of the same day Hon. J. J. Longston and W. S. Moseley tried their luck with a bird net. These two gentlemen returned at night with eighty birds, probably the most successful bird netting ever done in Rabun county. The gunning crowld are try-

Rabun county. The gunning crowd are try-ng their luck again to-day. For 25 cents you can find relief from neural-gle, headache, &c. Salvation Oil will do it. Sound sleep is necessary; Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup insures this, if troubled with a cough.

The Couple Come Over to Georgia for Hap

The Couple Ceme Over to Georgia for Happiness.

Bowden, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—Married at Shelnutt's hotel at 2 p. m., Mr. Charles C. Bryant to Miss Willie C. Collier, J. W. Jones officiating. The bridal party left their home 25 miles south of Tailadega, Ala., in a wagon on the morning of the 12th under the pretense of attending a circus at Tailadega, expecting to obtain a marriage license there, but the bride's father anticipating the real intention of the young people, rode to Tailadega in time to forbid the issuing of a license, whereupon the bridal party gave the old man the dodge, and drove for Ashland, Clay county, Ala., to find on their arrival there that the probate judge had been notified not to issue a marriage license to said party. Being disappointed at Ashland, and not to be outdone, the party employed a guide in the person of one James Jones, who served as pilot and driver for the party, and drove straight for Georgia, arriving at the hotel in Bowdon. Taking rooms, the party took a rest till this morning early, when the young men of the party saddled their horses and rode to Carrolton, twelve miles distant, where the necessary papers were procured of Ordinary Brown. Returning to Bowdon, the entire party partook of a superb dinner, served by Mrs. Armstrong, after which the marriage ceremony was performed on the front veranda of the hotel, in the presence of an immense crowd, who had gathered to congratulate the happy couple. The bridal party left for their homes in Alabama at four this evening.

KINGSTON IS GROWING And the People Feel Sanguine About the

Kingston, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—
Kingston has promise of a decided boom in the near future. Messrs. Bayless & Bell, our enterprising and popular townsmen are going to put up a cotton compress before the next season sets in. They have bought many hundred bales of cotton this fall, and their necessities compel them to erect a warehouse, which they will do at an early period. The cotton buyers in Rome are being hurt considerably by a buyer being stationed here. All the farmers in the seventeenth district and in and around Cassville, Pine Log, etc., have brought their cotton here and obtained Rome prices, and avoided having to pay for shipping, storage, weighing, commission, etc.

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We also have promise of a fifty room hotel for the accommodation of summer boarders and winter ones also, for Kingston is noted for being a healthy locality and there are many places of interest within a few miles drive. Saltpetre cave is only three miles from here and a more beautifully picturesque and romantic looking place cannot be found in Georgia. Five miles from here are the famous Barnesey's flower gardens. There are many other places of interest in and around our prospective city, which would prove attractive to visitors.

to visitors.

I forgot to state that Messrs. Bayless & Bell are enterprising capitalists recently moved here from St. Paul, Minnesota. They carry an immense stock of goods and are doing a fine business.

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Messrs, Gaines & Lewis have just finished having improvements made in their mill, at an expense of between five and six thousand dollars. They have the latest improvements for making the very finest grade of flour and are prepared to fill all orders, however large.

THE NEWS FROM CUMMING.

The Serious Illness of Judge Lester's Mother.

Cumming, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—
The Cumming brass band and the Cumming High school propose to give an entertainment during the Xmas holidays.

Mrs. H. P. Bell and daughter, Miss Virgie, are visiting relatives in Jasper, Ga.

Mrs. Mary Lester, mother of Judge G., N. Lester, is critically ill. Her life has been despaired of. Her life has been a long and eventful one, and well has she served her day and generation.

and generation.

Mr. W. H. Malone and family left here Friday for their new home in Villa Rica, Ga.

Drofessor W. R. Hall and family left our town for Pendergrass, Jacksen county, whither the professor goes to take charge of the Pendergrass and only the professor goes to take charge of the Pendergrass.

Rev. N. E. McBrayer, who has been the pastor of the Cumming charge the present year, will move to Jug Tavern next week, his appointment for next year.

The Cumming High school is on a boom under the management of Professors Gordon and Trywell.

ADAIRSVILLE'S PROGRESS

The Cotton Receipts for the Past Year

Adairsville, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]
The business outlook for the city has never been so bright as at present. The cotton receipts will double any previous year, and the price has been as good, if not better, than any market of parth Georgia. The trade does cerprice has been as good, if not better, than any market of north Georgia. The trade does certainly demand that a warehouse be built before another season. This increase in the cotton market makes the store houses like bee hives. We have two new firms. Colonel John W. Gray has opened a general kine of merchandise, and he needs no recommendation, for he has been here since Adairsville has been a town. Mrs. Tomlinson has began the millinery business. We don't know what a vacant house is, but will build more, for the people must be accommodated, and we assure all that want to come to the garden spot of the south that they can find shelter.

Another new enterprise that has just sprung up is a well-equipped livery stable, owned by two of our enterprising young men, Messrs. Ripley & Martin. Any man who sees our crowded streets and railroad depot must confess that we are alive.

THE HANCOCK FARMERS. They Resolve on a Big Cobnty Fair for Next

SPARTA, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]— The December meeting of the Hancock Farmers' club was held with Hon. W. J. Northen ers' club was held with Hon. W. J. Northen in the chair. Much important business was attended to. Among other things it was determined by a unanimous vote that all the adjoining counties be invited to join us in our next county fair, and a cordial invitation will be officially extended to all these rich counties, and they will receive at our hands a warm welcome next fall. The Hancock Fair association and the Hancock Farmers' club were merged into one. The stock in our county fair was valued at one dollar per share. It was also decided that the premium of one thousand dollars, which was won by our county at the last state fair, be expended on our fair ground in beautifying and improving it. The club adjourned to meet the first Tuesday in January next.

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Confirmation services were held in the "All
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eloquent sermon by the bishop, the following
class was confirmed: Misses Emma and
Marie Hazlehurst, Miss Annie Haddon, Judge
John H. Hull, Mr. J. W. Judkins, Mr. Charley
Haddon, and Mr. Arthur Haddon. The
church was beautifully decorated with evergreens and vines, and was filled to its utmost
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ATHENS, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—
This afternoon Willie Moore, the ten-year-old
son of Mrs. Kate Moore, was catching pigeons
in the Elevator mills. He fell through the
elevator from the third floor to the bottom, and
was seriously hurt. He has suffered intensely.
The extent of the injuries are not known.

A Distinguished Citizen Passes

MICHAEL DOWE FALLS IN THE CANAL

And is Drowned—His Disappearence and the Subsequent Discovery—Other News From Over the State,

AUGUSTA, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]— Captain Paul F. Hammond, after an illness of two months, died at 1 o'clock this morning, at his old Beech Island, S. C., home. Captain Hammond was one of the ablest writers in South Carolina, as well as an industrious farmer. He was a son of the late ex-Governo Hammond, of South Carolina, and he will be laid at rest beside his father in the family burying-ground at 3 o'clock tomorrow. He leaves a wife and five children to mourn his

DROWNED IN THE CANAL.

The death by drowning of an old and respected citizen has just come to light. Mr. Michael Dowe, who is about 60 years old, and employed as day watchman at the City stables, and who resides on the corner of Barnes and Cumming streets, failed to reach home at the usual hour last evening. His family becamenneasy, and made diligent search for the old man but without avail. He was last seen alive at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon in conversation with his nephew, Lieutenant A. M. Desmond, of the police force, and as he was compelled to cross the canal to reach home, it was supposed he had fallen in and had been drowned. The water in the canal was accordingly shut off this afternoon, and at 7 o'clock his body was found in the first level twenty-five yards below the bridge, from which he must have fallen. The coroner had an inquest tonight, and a verdict of accidental drowning was returned.

ADVANCING THE PRICE.

The American Electric Light company today issued a circular to its customers announcing that after January the price of each electric light will be advanced from six to eight dollars. The circular has created considerable talk, as the competing company, the Thomp-

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THE SOUTH GEORGIA CONFEBENCE.

The Body to Adjourn on Monday—A Double Session.

SANDERSVILLE, Ga., December 17—[Special.]—A double session of conference was held again today. The first assembling at the appointed hour, 9 o'clock, with Bishop McTyere in the chair. The opening religious exerceses were conducted by Rev. Archibald Clark. The minutes of

yesterday afternoon's session were read and approved.

Question 1 was taken up: "Who are admitted on trial?" The following being duly recommended by quarterly conference, and having stood an approved examination, were admitted: Gordon T. Roberts, New Houston, Savannah district; Freeman Stokes, from Gordon circuit, Macon district; William Edwards Mumford, from Columbus district, Central circuit; Thomas R. McMichael, from Crowell circuit; Mitchell J. Adams, from Elaville circuit; John Westry Cognors, from Americus district, Smithville circuit; Harrison Stubbs, from Thomas ville district, Pelham circuit; Thomas B. Kelb, from Attapulgus district; Walter C. Jones, from Newton circuit; Oscar B. Chester, from Bainbridge and Whigham Station; Oscar W. Branch, from Attapulgus circuit; Henry L. Ethridge, from Wayeross district, Raines chrouit; Robert P. Faine, from Sounds circuit; John C. Flanders, from Wrenville mission; Charlas T. Blank, from Sandersville district, Eason mission, James E. Wiay, from Summertown and Middle circuit. sion, James E. Wiay, from Summertown and

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Question 10: "What local preachers are elected deapons" was next called. The following having been duly recommended by their respective quarterly conferences were elected to that order John T. Mills, W. H. Martin, Joseph W. Black, who was elected three years and presented for ordination: Thomas B. Joseph W. Black, who was elected three years ago and presented for ordination; Thomas R. McMichael, Bolivar H. Gee, Anderson M. Brett, John C. Flanders. Certificates of election were next read of Miles B. W. Atkins, and Alex. C. Handlers.

The following being recommended were next elected to elders orders, Harrison Stubbs, larger M. Willey.

James M. Willcox.

The credentials of W. H. Young were next presented to the conference, who withdrew from the church. R. E. L. Folsome was next

deposed.

The joint board of finance made its report showing their apportionment which on motion stood approved.

The chairman of this board read the assessments for next year which was also approved.

B. F. Breedlove read the report of the Sunday school board, which was adopted with amendment. The report of the treasurer of this board was also read, which, with the resolution for distributing the fund was accepted.

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Dr. Lovett read a supplement to his report relative to expenses of delegates to next general conference, the assessment being \$330.

Dr. Leonard, chairman of committee on books and periodicals, next read his report, which was amended and adopted.

The neport of the committee of Bible cause was next read and adopted, with amendment. Dr. J. O. A. Cook, chairman of the board of education, read his report. Pending its adoption, President Hopkins, of Emory, addressed conference on education, and especially on the educational lean fund association.

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A committee of five was next appointed on educational loan fund association.

Dr. Young J. Allen, who arrived last night, was introduced to the conference and made a few remarks, after which he pronounced the benediction and conference was dismissed until three o'clock.

The conference met in the afternoon at appointed hour. Minutes of the morning session were read and confirmed.

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The report of Rev. A. M. Williams, treas nrer of the boad of foreign missions, shows the total contributions of this year to be \$9,308.93, which is \$2,128.74 in excess of last year.

Conference will ad ourn on Monday.

The Byals Institute.

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The committee viz. Rev. William
M. Cooper and Mr. Arthur Davis,
of Cartersyllle, Mr. J. J. S. Callawaw, Tunnel Hill, Mr. Furgerson Calhour-and Captain
E. B. Earle, of this place, met here yesterday.
This able committee was appointed by the last
Missionary Baptist association to select a place
and established the J. G. Ryals institute.
The school will be endowed by the Cheroked
association. They will build a house that will
cost several thousands dollars and that Adairsville will be the place selected. The school
will be opened here on the second Monday in
January. They intend using the Bartow
institute building until they can erect a house
of their own. The Ryals Institute.

After Twenty-One Years.

Danietsville, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]
John Johnson, who twenty-one years ago, one night, while his young wife, whom he had just married about a year before, was on a trip to Athen, disappeared and was never heard from, has returned. He has lived most of the time since in Oregon, where he owns 2,700 head of cattle. He has pleuty of money. A year ago his wife obtained a divorce. He has not met her yet.

Death of Mrs. Bloodworth.

Columbus, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—A telegram was received from Griffin tonight, announcing the death of Mrs. Bloodworth, the mother of Mrs. H. C. Hanson, of this city. Mrs. Bloodworth was fifty-one years of age, and was a good Christian woman. Mrs. Hanson returned from Griffin today, thinking her mother was better.

## CAPT. HAMMOND DEAD. A Lunatic's Shrewdness

From the New York Fireside Companion. A lot of us deputies were lounging around the sheriff's office the other day, trying to kill time by spinning yarns, when Jim Burdick, an old-timer in the service, told us the follow-

ing queer story:
"About the toughest and strangest experience I ever had," said he, "was several years ago when I was a deputy under old Jake Wells, up in Stanislaus county.
"A big, powerful blacksmith, named Jack

Hurley, got raving, roaring crazy at Modesta one day, and after he'd been run down and ex-amined was committed to the insane asylum at Stockton. my time, but Hurley was the worst of 'em all. Why, for the first few days it took half a dozen

of us to handle him! He cooled down after that, and got to be pretty toler'ble quiet by the time we got ready to take him away.

"I was detailed for the job, and though I had no particular hankerin' for the trip, he seemed so peaceable and docile when the time came to start, that such a thing as danger never concerned to me. That was before er once occurred to me. That was before a railroad had got up in that country, and all such journeys had to be made in a buggy.
"Knowing the kind o' chap I had to deal

with, I made sure he was securely handcuffed and shackled, and then started off. Well, for the first half of the journey everything went all right. Hurley seemed calmer than at any time since be had been in custody, and talked as straight as could be. In fact I began to think his ride in the cool, fresh air was going to cure

him before I got to the asylum.
"By and by, though, I-noticed that he was looking a little queer out of his eyes; he kept watching me like a hawk, too, and seemed to be growing nervous. I thought nothing of it, but inwardly hoped he wouldn't get a too ram-

"He kept pretty quiet, however, and we'd got within five or six miles of Stockton, when all at once the blacksmith bounded to his feet and with the devil's own laugh fastened his lutches on my throat! "I saw then that one of his hands was free

How the old Nick did ft I do not know, but he'd slipped one of the bracelets off. I struggled with all the strength I had, but it was like fighting a blizzard. I was but a baby in that I laid in a heap in the bottom of the buggy, with the wind cheked out of me and the lunatic's wild, bloodshot eyes looking clear

"For about a minute—it seemed an hour then—he stood there glaring at me as though trying to figure out the quickest way to kill me, and then, to my suprise, squatted down alongside of me and began to search my pockets, handling me as gently as he would a pet kitten.

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"At first I thought he was goingto use my pistols on me, but when he stick them carefully away in an inside pocket, and kept calmly on transferring my possessions into his own keeping, I confess I began to get puzzled.

"About the last thing he found were the keys to his shackles, and with a chuckle of delight lost no time in freeing himself from those incumbrances. If he had stopped at that I wouldn't have so much of a story to tell, but he didn't. In spite of my frantic struggles he had the handcuffs and shackles on me in a jiffy, finishing up his work with a devilish laugh that made my flesh creep.

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All this time he had a said a word, nor be-trayed the least excitement, but went through the proceedings with the deliberate coolness of a sane man. If he betrayed any emotion at all, it was that of exultation and gratification; for every now and then he'd stop in his work, look at me with a half-comical twinkle in his

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"I was a little anxious to know what course he would pursue, now that he had reduced me to a state of helplessness. I half expected him to turn round and go back home, but to my surprise he picked up the reins and drove firiously off toward Stockton.

"But if this action surprised me, I was astonished when, half an hour later, he turned off toward the asylum, and drove up to the door. It was as much a matter of relief as of astonishment, though, for I hadn't the remotest idea but that I could satisfactorily explain the reversed state of affairs, and fix up things as they should be.

"With the utmost coolness the wily lunatic unlecked my shakles, helped me out of the buggy, and then led me up the steps to the superintendent's office. To be candid about it, I believe I actually admired the fellow's audacicious cheek. He was as cool as a cucumber, perfectly at ease, and after a pleasant 'good day' to those present, turned to the clerk and said: "I've brought you another boarder; here's his eredentials,' saying which he produced and

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"I thought it was about time for me to have a say in the matter, and tried to explain the situation, but no one paid the slightest heed to me. They seemed to regard my words but the chattering of a crank!

"'Let's see,' said the clerk, looking over the commitment, 'the patient's name is—'

"John Hurley,' replied the blacksmith, finishing the sentence for him.

"And that is John Hurley you are talking to!" I cried. 'I am James Burdick, a deputy sheriff of Stanislaus county! He overpowered me on the way and got passession of the commitment!'

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"Yes, very,' said ho; 'this fellow's a shrewd cuss! You'll have to watch him mighty close!'

"Again I tried to get them to listen to me, but they wouldn't, and in my excitement I guess I must have acted more like a mad man than what I claimed to be.

"In the midst of one of my futile appeals the superintendent touched a bell, and a minute afterward one of the attendants—a big, strapping fellow—came in and took me by the arm to lead me away.

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"My handcuffs were taken off here, and assisted by another big burly fellow, the attendant carried me by sheer force into the bathroom, ordering me to take off my clothes.

"I protested with all the combined eloquence, indignation, and violence I could commandtold them I didn't need a bath, and wouldn't take one, either.

"They were no doubt used to that sort of talk; for, in a perfectly matter-of-fact way that admitted of no further argument, I was seized, thrown upon the floor, stripped of my clothing, and thrown into the bath-tub.

"Well, after scrubbing me to their hearts' content, I was finally allowed to dress, a blue fiannel shirt and a pair of overalls being substituted for my own apparel.

"It would be hard to say under which I was smarting most, the indignation or the scrubbing I had been subjected to.

"Now, then, listen to me, spid I, as I was led out into the corridor: I want you to let me out of here. I'm no lunatic, and unless I'm liberated at once I will see what effect the law will have on you barbarians."

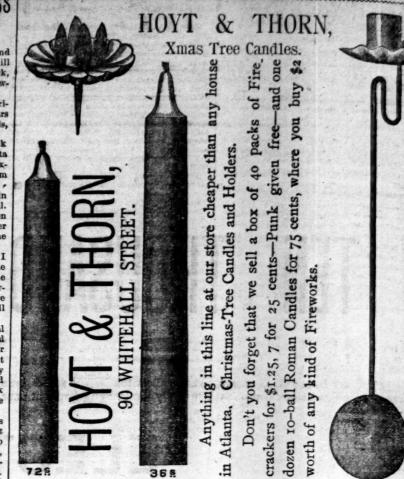
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"I'll admit I was pretty near crazy by this time, but had sense enough left to see the fellow wasn't fooling, and took his advice and kept quiet.

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"For three long days and nights I was compelled to stay there, treated as a lunatic, associating with luntics, until I was upon the awful brink of lunacy myself.

"How did I get out? Well, the lunatic Hurley wandered hack to his old haunts, was recognized, and as I had not shown up since leaving with him, search was made for me, leading, of course, to my liberation. I've never been in an asylum since. If there's a crank to be taken there, some one else goes with him. I'm no hog—I know when I've got enough."



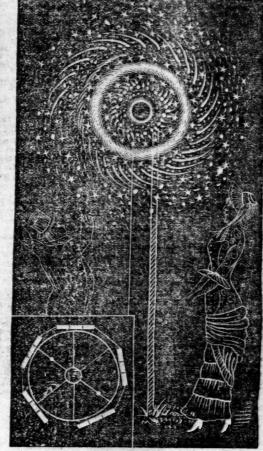
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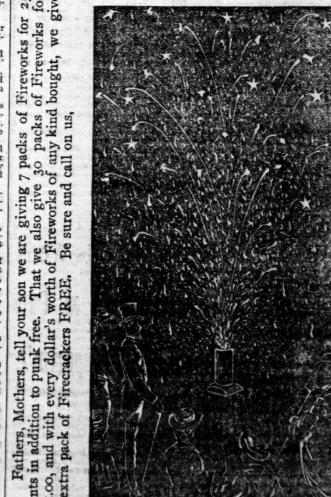


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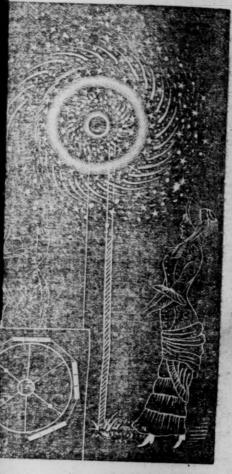
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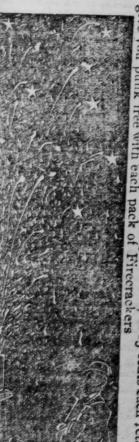
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The two houses met in joint assembly in the senate chamber this evening, and ratified seventy-five newly enacted acts, which were sent to the governor for approval.

An extraordinary bill, amendatory of the criminal law, has passed the house and will probably pass the senate. It amends the law of peremptory challenges, so that in capital cases the accused is allowed only ten challenges and the state is allowed inve. The law allowing the accused twenty peremptory challenges may be said to have been brought down from a time almost antedating written history, and it is difficult to imagine what change has come over human nature in South Corolling. is difficult to imagine what change has come over human nature in South Carolina which necessitates an abridgement of this right.

DEAD UNDER THE DEBRIS. List of the Unfortunates by the Westchester

Explosion.

Westchester, Pa., December 17.—The dead body of D. O. Taylor, clerk of the county courts, was found this morning in the ruins of the Edison electric company's works, the scene of yesterday's terribly fatal boiler explosion. Mr. Taylor had called at the works only a few minutes before the explosion coentred. Edward Thylor had called at the works only a few minutes before the explosion occurred. Edward
Schofield, a laborer, who was taken from the
ruins last night, died this morning from his
injuries. This makes seven deaths from the
explosion, as follows:
WALTER GUNBREE, superintendent of works.
D. O. TAYLOR.
EDWARD SCHOFFELD.
THREE COLORED LABORERS,
GEWOOD RECKER.

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(ELWOOD BECKET,

JOHN BRADLEY, SAMUEL EBB and

HETTIE T. JONE;

thirteen-year-old daughter of William Jones, who
was struck by a heavy piece of timber, some distance from the scene of the explosion, while return-

Five other men were severely injured, but

Ives Threatens to Sue for Damages New York, December 17 .- Judge Kilbreth New York, December 17.—Judge Kilbreth, at the Tombs police court, today rendered his decision in the case of Henry S. Ives, the young financier, charged with larceny from the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad company, by Mr. Dexter. The judge dismissed the complaint and discharged the accused. Neither Mr. Dexter nor his counsel was in the court. Mr. Ives, his lawyers and several friends were there, and when the defendant was discharged he was congratulated. Mr. Ives says he will at once institute proceedings against Mr. Dexter, claiming \$100,000 for malicious prosecution.

Struck by the Engine. Struck by the Engine.

CHATTANOGA, Tenn., December 17.—[Special.]—Shook Lassiter was instantly killed at Tullahoma, Tenn., this afternoon at 4:20 by a north bound passenger train on the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis railroad. He was standing on a switch as the train approached, and thinking he was on the main track stepped in front of the train, when it was too late to make his escape. He was struck by the engine which scattered pieces of his body for a distance of two hundred yards before the train could be stopped.

Harper's Iron Works Sold. CINCINNATI, December 17.—Adam Wagner, assignee, sold today by order of court, Swift's Iron and Steel works in Newport, Ky. The real estate, machinery, material and stock, sold for \$195,550. It was bought by H. A. Shriver, who is said to represent a company composed of A. L. Gahr, Adam Wagner, R. W. Nelson and others. This property belonged to E. L. Harper, and its paper figured in the Harper trial.

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WINCHESTER, Ky., December 17.—The fend between the Adams and Casswell factions broke out again last Sunday night, in Rock Castie county, when, after church services, Frank Adams was killed by one of the Casswells, Since then Frank Hagdon, James Sunsford, James Townsend, Tom Jackson and two others, names unknown, have been killed while many others have been wounded and several houses have been burned.

THE REPUBLICAN NATIONAL LEAGUE Appointment of an Executive Committee an

Appointment of an Executive Committee and Election of President.

New York, December 17.—It was not until 11:15 that Chairman Evarts, who had been rapping for order ten minutes, succeeded in calling the convention of republican clubs to order. The election of delegations from each state for vice president and members of the executive committee were then anyonweed. state for vice president and members of the executive committee were then announced. When General Nathan Geff arose to make mominations for West Virginia long centinued applainse greeted him. Trouble arose over the selection for Alabama. There was only one representative from that state. He was Samuel R. Lowree, a colored delegate. He would not take the responsibility of nominating these men.

Mr. Evarts then ruled that any state no Mr. Evarts then ruled that any state not feeling ready to make its nominations could wait until action had been taken in the state referred to. Nominations for president of the national league then followed. Seward A. Simons, of Buffalo, in elequent terms nominated James P. Foster, president of New York Republican club, for president of New York Republican club, for president. General Nathan Goff, of West Virginia, in words of high praise, nominated A. Lowden Snowden, of Philadelphia. General Atkinson, Michigan, nominated Colonel Nathan Goff. Mr. Goff declined, saying his position of senator and his other duties would prevent. Delegate Wilbur Mott, of New Jersey, spoke warmly in favor of Mr. Eoster.

Mr. Warwick, of Pennsylvania, rose to second the nomination of Mr. Snowden. A cryof "Let some other state nominate him," was raised.

Mr. Warwick said: "He has been reminated.

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Mr. Warnick said: "He has been nominated by another state. Modest Pennsylvania only seconds the nomination."

Senator Horr, of Michigan, thought the presidency should remain in New York. Wm. S. Beveridge, of Virginia, spoke for Snowden, Leonidas Houck, of Tennessee, spoke for Foster, and Judge Brown, of Ohio, said without a speech he would second the nomination of Mr. Fester for the Ohio delegation.

Mr. Snowden here withdrew his name from the centest for president. Loud cries of "Question." Mr. Gardmer, of Wisconsin, moved the election of Mr. Foster by acclamation. It was carried, and by a tumultuous cry of "aye" and not a single "nay," James P. Foster, of New York, was declared elected president of the national league.

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The New Yorkers had endeavored to persuade Chauncey Depew to accept the presidency, but he declined. J. M. Condon, of Knoxville, is vice-president for Tennessee, and John S. Wise, for Virginia. J. J. Littleton is the member of the executive committee for Tennessee, and J. W. Southard for Virginia.

A resolution by Howard N. Fuller, of Albany, was the cause of much excitement ran as follows:
Resolved, That this convention of republicar cluls, of the United States, representing the uni Resolved, That this convention of republican cluts, of the United States, representing the universal sentiment and patriotic desire of the republicans of the United States, represented by us, record its emplatic disapproval and condemnation of Fresident Cleveland's action in the nomination of L. Q. C. Lamar for the supreme court bench of the United States, and we recommend that republican members of the United States senate vote against the confirmation of the same.

### VIRGINIA'S DEBT.

Counsel for the Foreign Bondholders Ad dress the Legislative Finance Committee.

RICHMOND, Va., December 17.—The finance committee of the two houses of the general assembly held a special meeting today to hear Mr. W. L. Royall, counsel for foreign bondholders, on the debt question. There was much talk on the subject, which was participated in by nearly every person present. Mr. Royall asked that all action in coupon cases be suspended for thirty days, saying that during that time he would use his best efforts to prevent any coupons being presented in payment for taxes, that he would go to London and endeavor to get English bondholders to settle upon terms satisfactory to the state, and that if the bondholders refused to agree to his propdress the Legislative Finance Committee. if the bondholders refused to agree to his proposition, he would resign his position as counsel. The sentiment of the committee as expressed by many of the members was that it would be used as for Mr. Royall to undertake any nego-

useliss for Mr. Royall to undertake any negotiations which departed from the principles of the Riddleberger bill. A committee was appointed to prepare a resolution in relation to the matter, to be presented at a joint meeting of the committees next Monday.

The sub-committee appointed at today's meeting have a drafted resolution to be submitted at Monday's meeting. The resolution, in effect, is as follows:

That the governor be authorized and requested to direct office s of the state to suspend all proceedings against parties who have heretofore tendered coupons for taxes until January 25th, provided the bondholders shall cease all attemp's to force coupons into the treasury, and will publish a circular that they will not sustain taxpayers tendering ou pons for taxes in the interim.

The resolutions concludes by declaring that the state will pay no more than the amount the state will pay no more than the ame fixed by the Riddleberger bill.

was insured for \$104,000, and Quinn's stock, which is badly damaged, is covered by a policy for \$9,500. Nearly fifty insurance companies are interested in the losses.

Norfolk, Va., December 17.—Fire this morning at the town of Franklin, on the Seaboard and Roanoke railroad, destroyed Pretlow & Co.'s warehouse, containing 7,000 bags of peanuts and three car loads of coal. Loss about \$30,000. Insurance not ascertained.

### A MIXED CASE.

In which a Couple of Busines Men are

In which a Couple of Busines Men are Interested.

Columbia, S. C., December 17.—[Special.] A special from Branchville says: "The Pearlstine & Karesh assignment has been set aside for fraud, and several attachments have been issued. It is said that they have smuggled some of their goods off to Midway, Charleston and other places. It is certain that some of the goods have been found in trunks in a negro house in Branchville and elsewhere. The liabilities are now set down at \$21,000 with assets of only about \$1,000. The failure is undoubtedly the most barefaced swindle ever perpetrated in this country, and it is certain that if the creditors push the matter both members of the defunct firm will be given a term in the peniteritary. What makes the matter more serious is the fact that Pearlsting & Karesh were burned out last October, and wrote letters to all creditors representing their solvency, and upon these representations they solvency, and upon these representations they obtained goods to the above amount.

Heavy Snow Storms. Heavy Snow Storms.

Reading, Pa., December 17.—The greatest snow of the year fell here this afternoon, and at 10 o'clock tonight in this city its depth was eighteen inches and still falling. The storm is general all over the eastern section of the state, and Lancaster reports fourteen inches; Lebanon, fourteen; Harrisburg, ten; Allentown, fourteen, and through the coal regions nearly a foot has fallen. Railroad trains are delayed, and shipments on the Reading railroad are greatly interfered with. Country roads have drifted to the depth of three and four feet.

The Federation of Labor. BALTIMORE, December 17.—The convention of the American federation of labor this morning took up its consideration of the report of the committee on resolutions. Many unimportant matters were acted upon, and business was disposed of as rapidly as possible. The convention adjourned sine die.

Ex-Printer Rounds Dying. OMAHA, Neb., December 17.—(Special.)— Ex-Public Printer Rounds, president of the Republican Publishing company, of this city, is lying dangerously ill with pneumonia, at his home on Dodge street. He has been ill about a week. His physicians entertain grave doubts as to his recovery. a week. His physicians entertain as to his recovery.

An Old Couple Burned to Death. Buffalo, N. Y., December 17.—George Bauerlio, aged 61, and his wife, aged 58, of Hamburg, Eric county, were burned. The couple were too infirm to make their escape.

THE JOKE ON HEWITT. How a New York Belle Won a

FASHIONABLE WOMEN'S LAST FREAK Endowing Wards in Hospitals and Sciecting the Patients- A Defense of the Ballet Girl-Gossip of Gotham.

Wagor.

NEW YORK, December 17 .- Mayor Hewitt received a letter which said that a house con-taining a barroom, a restaurant and a big hall had been given over to remarkable revelries; that a feature of the dances was the presence of many young girls, whose costumes were de-scribed as represensible; that at midnight the doors were locked against intruders, even the police, and a scene of wine drinking and eating ensued; and the writer added that, if his honor felt like interfering, he could send a response to a certain address, whereupon the establishment would be pointed out. Mr. Hewitt had lately been ordering raids upon dance houses, and the allegations here seemed to make out a case for action. So he wrote for particulars, and got an explanation that it was all a joke. The place meant was Delmonico's, and the occasions were the three resplendent debutante balls which have thus far this season agitated the most pretentions society. I don't get this news from the mayor's office, but from the perpetrators of the joke, a young lady friend of the Misses Hewitt, who had bet a pound of candy on the success of her hoax.
"But I am bound to say," said Mr. Hewitt,
"that the characteristics of a fashionable ball, if copied exactly by unapproved people in condemned places, might demand official at-tention."

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tention."

Fashionable women of benevolence ought not to be in the least discouraged by criticism, and it is with no idea of condemnation that I describe their newest whim. Ladles of the Vanderbilt family have magnificently endowed a woman's hospital, the Astors have done the same for a cancer hospital, and these notable examples have set others at work in smaller ways of the same kind. There are many institutions in which beds can be bought, the owner being thereafter privileged to select the owner being thereafter privileged to select a succession of occupants. Thus she can con-trol her own benevolence, From this compar-atively inexpensive method to that of main-taining an entire ward, or of establishing a complete hospital on a miner plan, our moodish women have gone rather extensively into the hospital fad. This is a good thing for the poor sufferers, who by means of it get the best medical and surgical treatment. But it is almost comical to see the swell philanthropists eagerly searching for beneficiaries, they seem ambitious to secure the worst possible cases, and are downright proud when they they seem ambitious to secure the worst possible cases, and are downright proud when they find something horrible or unique. At an afternoon tea over cups of the fragrant beverage, and accompanied by a dainty nibble of cake, I heard two wealthy matrons in this kind of a dialogue:

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"Oh! I have discovered the most delightful subject you can imagine for my bed at the hospital for the crippled and maimed—a boy with one leg like a J and the other like an S. They are going to straighten him out, and I expect there will be a report in the medical journals."

"But you ought to see," said the other, "the frightful tumor that I have discovered over in avenue A to send to the Women's Invalid Home. Is your tea sweet enough, my dear?"

Good society has one ballet dancer on the stage this week, and in a meretricious burlesque, too. She is Bonfanti, and this is her first emergence from retirement in about two years. In one of the discussions of the Sorosis clut, incidental to some topic set for debate, one of the women members made an indiscreet reference to a danseuse as a person outside the sis club, incidental to some topic set for debate, one of the women members made an indiscreet reference to a danseuse as a person outside the pale of respectability. After a slight pause a dignified and handsome old matron, one of the earliest members of Sorosis, arose and began to speak. It was Mrs. Sophia Hoffman, of a well family. She told in simple, direct lansguage a pathetic story of the pure, true and noble life of her dead son's widow, Bonfanti. This famous leader of the ballet, the daughter-in-law of Sophia Hoffman, has been a respected member of the circle in which she moved, and her son, Sophia Hoffman's grandchild, is being educated and reared in the most approved style. Mrs. Hoffman made no extravagant eulogy in the course of her remarks, and did not in the slightest degree show any resentment at the offensive utterances of her associate member. When she had finished her simple defense of the woman and dancer there was not a dry eye in the room. The discussion of the question before the meeting was then resumed without ceremony, and nothing further was said as to the ballet dancer or the unique interruption.

All waukee, December 17.—Shortly before 3 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the store of J. C. Iverson, manufacturer of picture frames and dealer in art goods, at 425 East Water street, and completely destroyed the upper portion of the building. The entire stock was ruined, as an immense quantity of water was required to subdue the flames. Quinn's book store, immediately adjoining the Iverson building, was thoroughly drenched. Loss on Iverson's stock and building is about \$125,000. Iverson's stock, which is almost a total loss, was insured for \$104,000, and Quinn's stock with missing in the wire fence above a tall desk, beckon with his index finger to the first one whose eye he caught, and say: "Come here! come here! What's your name?" The name being given, he would refer to a memorandum at his side and in case of rejection would say sharply remove the manuscript at the manusc unique interruption.

The retirement of Robert Bonner from the Ledger recalls the fact that several Sorositors were contributors to his paper on salaries and don't care for this!" There was no mincing of the matter, no apologetic explanation that the columns were crowded, no thanks for the submission of the peem and as a rule, the disappointed amatuer author piqued at the stern refusa would put her manuscript in her pocket and bounce out of the room in the most indignant manner. They tell of a society old maid, wealthy too, who sat at the anxious bench one day, and when Mr. Bonner beckoned to her with his index finger, a ceremony that he never omitted, she ripped up to the opening at the wire fence and announced her name. As if by intuition Mr. Bonner said: "What is the name of your poem?"

"You must remember it, Mr. Bonner," she replied. "It is old love. I have had it here twice."

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Bonner turned to a very old but invaluable clerk at a desk near by and said: "Have you

"Well," said the clerk in a trembling, renile side, "If I have got any at all it must be of sold kind." voice, "If I have got any at all it must be of an old kind."
"Well, have you got a poem of that name?" said Bonner.
"Yes," said the clerk, and he accordingly

"res, said the ciers, and he accordingly brought forward the manuscript.

"I don't care for this," was Bonner's decision. "Better go out and try 'young love,' or 'new love.' Don't bother with the old love. We want fresh matter—something for the young respile."

young people."

If she had waited an hour she might probably have seen Caleb Dunn or Nat Urner, grisled and unpoetic looking survivors of the old Pfaff days, come in and sell off hand a highly sentimental poem for \$10, the invariable write.

The death of Mrs. John Jacob Astor and the subsequent elevation of Mrs. William Astor to the leadership of New York society, recalls the fact that this enormously wealthy family has in later generations become rather numerous in its membership. Its hold, in fact, upon society at large is due as much today from its ramifications in various families as to the great wealth of the original members. It is probably safe to say that not one direct member of the Astor family, whether bearing the name or not, is employed or associated with anyone who is employed in earning a living by labor or commercial business. The Astors, since the old furrier died and left his business of exporting and carrying in other hands, have devoted their means, and such energies as they chose to put into the business, into purchasing and holding real estate. They are extensive buyers and rare sellers. The death of Mrs. John Jacob Astor and the

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A marked peculiarity of the family is that traditions of past ages are kept alive in the composition and intercourse of its members. In a country where there is a titled class deducing its standing socially from birth, this is not a distinctive feature, but in America, where democracy is generally triumphant, it is rare not a distinctive feature, but in America, where democracy is generally triumphant, it is rare to see the distinctions of title and place maintained in family relations. The Astor family has its distinctive head and all the other members are subordinate to it, and occupy their fixed place in the scale of authority and respect in the family. The recognized head of the family has been for years Mr. John Jacob Astor, the widower of the lady who has just died. He is about sixty-seven years old, and fairly well preserved. Such little business activity as he has permitted to himself during the course of his life he still maintains. This

means regular visits to his office and the supervision of its affairs to the extent, at least, of drawing his income and directing, in a general way, its disbursement. He lives on the southwest corner of Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth street, in a house that is unpretentious in its external appearance, and particularly modest in comparison with the marble palace of the late Alexauder Stewart, just across the way. The house is of brick, devoid of marked trimmings, and has for its chief peculiarity a remarkably high stoop and plain entrance. There is a lot between Mr. John Jacob Astor's house and the brick houses just south of him, and in this place his brother, Mr. William Astor, lives. John Jacob still remains the head of the family, but, through the death of his wife, Mrs. William Astor will become the leader of New York society. The manner in which this lady is distinguished from the other Astors, is by the marking of her visiting cards, and by the printing of her name upon social invitations, etc. The head of the family is known simply as "Mrs. Astor," and any other Astor in the family must place her initial, or the given name of her husband before the word "Astor" upon her cards, or on other social douments.

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her social douments. The late Mrs. John Jacob Astor was a Miss The late Mrs. John Jacob Astor was a Miss Augusta Gibbes, of Savannah, Georgia. She was married in 1815. Her only child was Mr. William Waldorf Astor, who enjoys the singular distinction of being the only member of the family who has done anything striking outside of caring for his money. He tried his hand at politics, and made a respectable failure. He has written a book or two, and has been United States minister to Italy. This remarkable Astor married a Miss Paul, of Philadclphia, about six years ago, and the ceremonies attending the wedding made a redetter day in New York society history, and will be long remembered by those who took part in them or witnessed them. He lives on east Thirty-third street, near Fifth avenue, not far, therefore, from the family mansions of his father and uncle.

Mrs. William Waldorf Astor's brother married millionaire Drexel's daughter not long ago. It will be seen from this that the immediate family of the head of the house is a small one, but the family of Mr. William Astor, brother to John Jacob, is comparatively large. His wife was Miss Schermerhorn, daughter of the late Abraham Schermerhorn, himself a man of great wealth.

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In certain ways, she is better fitted than her In certain ways, she is better fitted than her sister-in-law was, to be the leader of New York society. Because she enjoys festivities much more and is a more vivacious actor in them. She has four living children. Her oldest daughter, Mrs. James J. Van Alen, has been dead about six years. Her second daughter, Helen, is now Mrs. Roosevelt Roosevelt. This gentleman of the double name is an ideal greeivers of stellars to be the second daughter. specimen of the double name is an ideal specimen of stalwart aristocracy, and most of his energies are devoted to the exercises of the country club. He is of course a man of great wealth and devotes no time to business. wealth and devotes no time to business The third daughter in this family, for The third daughter in this family, formerly Miss Augusta Astor, is now Mrs. Coleman Drayton. She has two children. The daughter Helen, just referred to, has three. Another daughter, Carry, is now Mrs. Orme Wilson, and the remaining child of this union is John Jacob Astor, Jr., who graduated recently from Harvard college and made his first plunge in New York society this fall. There was to have been a grand ball given in his honor on the ninth of next January, but the death of his aunt will postpone this and all other festivities in which the Astor family might naturally engage during this season. night naturally engage during this season.

might naturally engage during this season. There is a curious story connected with the marriage of the first daughter of William Astor, Mrs. Van Alen. She married much against her father's will, in spite of the fact that Mr. Van Alen was a man of independent means, fully capable of providing for her in the manner in which she had been reared. She lived with him in Newport, and until her death, her father never entirely forgave her for marrying against his wishes.

All these married members of the Astor family live in this city, most of them upon the fashionable part of Fifth avenue, and they, of course, have elegant country seats in different

family live in this city, most of them upon the fashionable part of Fifth avenue, and they, of course, have elegant country seats in different portions of the country. That of Mr. William Astor is at Rhinebeck-on-the-Hudson, and they all have temporary homes at Newport.

The combined wealth of this remarkable family probably stands without a parallel in the world. It has been the steady endeavor of the living members of the family to underestimate their possessions, in order that they might not arouse the too bitter jealousy of that class of the population which looks inimically at hoarded wealth. For this reason John Jacob Astor has never given any authority for statements of his wealth that put the figures beyond one hundred million dollars, and ordinarily, this sum is looked upon as the limit of his posses sions; nevertheless, it is a conservative estimate, because the family is constantly buying new real estate, as the income, in the shape of rents, brings about an accumulation of actual cash much greater than they can conveniently dispose of. But taking one hundred million dollars as a basis, and adding to it the fortune of his brother William, which is more than half as great, and the fortunes possessed by the husbands of the married daughters of the family, there would be a total that could not fall short of two hundred and fifty million dollars. short of two hundred and fifty million dollars. CLARA BELLE.

Under Certain Conditions Imposed it Will be Boston, Mass., December 17.—Rev. Justin D. Fulton today wrote a letter to the Rand-Avery company, which recently refused to print his book "Why Priests Should Wed," submitting a communication from Anthony Comstock, in which the latter stated that after a care in the results of the book he believes D. Ful. Comstock, in which the latter stated that after an examination of the book he believes Dr. Fulton's motives and intentions absolutely honest and right, and the facts collected are absolutely true, supported by living witnesses. Dr. Fulton, therefore, demands that the printing company submit proofs to the attorney general or any lawyer, and that if there is anything in them which they decide will make the company liable, the author will modify such portions. The Rand-Avery company have replied that under those conditions they will print the book.

The Illinois Central's Accessio Sr. Louis, December 17.—The report tele-graphed a few days ago that ex-President Clark, of the Illinois Central railroad, had been chosen vice-president and general man-ager of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, is acager of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, is accepted in railroad circles here and it is argued that if Mr. Clarke has accepted this position on the Mobile and Ohio, it may be taken as proof that the Illinois Central company, with which he has been so long and prominently connected, and with which his relations are still of a most intimate nature, has gained central of the Mobile and Ohio. centrol of the Mobile and Ohio.

Knight Makes a Bond. Knight Makes a Bond.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., December 17.—Joseph Knight, who was committed to prison Thursday, in default of \$35,000 bail, to answer the charge of embezzling \$65,000 from the Manufacturers' National Bank, while employed in the institution as clerk, was today released from custody. Wm. H. Kemble and Wm. H. Hurley entered security in the amount required, binding themselves to produce Knight on the third Monday in February next in the United States district court. United States district court.

The Weekly Bank Statement.

NEW YORK, December 17.—The following is statement of the associated banks for the week iding today:

Serve increase. \$1,721,000 6,282,400 724,000 962,500 138,800 For cent rule,

Killed by a Foolish Brother.

COLUMBUS, Ark., December 17.—Charles Whitsett, a half-witted boy, aged 13, went out walking with his young brother, aged 9, and his sister aged 6. He returned home alone and informed his mother he had killed them, showing a large knife with which ie had done the deed. The boy and girl were found stretched out in pools of blood with their heads jeut off.

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Fire in Columbus.

Columbus, Ga., December 17.—[Special.]—
The alarm of fire was turned in at 10 o'clock tonight, by Mr. Stafford Gibson, from box 9.
There was no fire, and the alarm was needless.
Mr. Gibson says he saw smoke ascending from Edmund's furniture store and thought the building was on fire.

New York Masons Fair.

New York, December 17.—The Free Masons of New York and Brooklyn tonight, closed the largest and most successful fair ever held in the interest of the fraternity. Its proceeds, which will be sixty thousand dollars or more, are to be used to build an asylum for destitute Masons and for their widows and orphans.

### PREPARING FOR WAR.

Germany Determined to be Ready When It Comes.

PREDICTIONS OF AN EARLY CONFLICT

All Parties Uniting for the Defense of the Fatherland- The Crown Prince's Condition-Other Foreign News.

Copyr'ght of 1887 by the New York Associated Press.]
BERLIN, December 17.—Emperor William held today an informal council on the military situation. Prince William, General Von Moltke, General Von Schellendorff, Count Von Waldersee, and General Alberdyll were resent. The council, which lasted two hours, is understood to have special bearing on to-morrow's military council at Vienna. What-ever measures are there adopted will be taken in consonance with the concerted plan for a demonstration against Russia. Reports have reached the Berlin war office, which describe Austrian defense works in Galicia as neglected, while the movements of Russian troops show an accurate knowledge of the weak points for attack. These statements, which were sent to Vienna, have stung the war office there into night and day activity. No news is permitted to transpire regarding military movements, but it is known that railways in the direction of Crocow, Iasrola, Delfelta and Pryzemysi Junction, are overworked by traffic military attache at the German legation Vienna, spends hours daily at the war office in consultation with the chiefs of departments. All measures that are decided upon are

ommunicated to the Berlin authorities through Major Deines and the inspiration of Count Von Moltke is supposed to guide Austrian preparations. Tomorrow's council will be attended by Herr Von Tizza, Hungarian prime minister, Count Von Taafe, minister of the interior; Count Kalnoky and Count Bylandt Rheydt, imperial minister of war, Herr Von Kallay, imperial minister of finance and Archduke Albrecht, and will be presided over by the emperor. The result of the conerence is eagerly awaited.

Berlin officials are of the opinion that the utcome of the council will be nothing more than the accelerated dispatch of troops to the front. The time has not come for the collective note from the allied powers demanding an explanation of Russian concentrations. It is certain that Prince Bismarck has not yet taken action towards a collective plines to a constant the collective plines to the constant that the collective plines to the constant to the collective plines to the collec

cen action towards a collective ultimatum. General Von Schweinitz, German ambasador General Von Schweinitz, German ambasador to Russia, after two day's stay at Fredrechsruhe, returned to Berlin on Thursday. He had an audience with the emperor yesterday and will return to his post at St. Petersburg tomorrow, without special instructions. If the czar approaches him upon the question of mutual armaments General Von Schweinitz is believed to be charged to represent that the German diplomatic and military position is unchanged and that peace is dependent upon a cessation of Russian measures against the league of peace. Government circles, both in Berlin and Vienna, are becoming convinced that the allies mean to attack Russia early in the spring. Military circles in Vienna regard the campaign as even closer, and are of opinion that it will be opened within two months.

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Dr. Trefort, Hungarian minister of public instruction, speaking at a meeting at Pesth academy today, reminded his audience that last year, while everybody believed the country to be on the verge of war, he doubted that an outbreak would occur. Now, on the contrary, he was forced, although an ardent partisan of peace, to declare his doubt of its being maintained. Dr. Trefort declared that the blame for the origin of war—if war comes blame for the origin of war—if war comes— would be due to the encroachment of Russian an-slavism.

The Pester Lloyd organ of Herr Von Tizza

Hungarian premier, contends for the necessity of crushing Russia in the event of war occurof crushing Russia in the event of war occurring and so rectify the frontier as to disable
her from causing further trouble in Europe. A
large Poland must be created, including Volhynia and Poddia, up to the right bank of the
Dnieper, with Kieff as the frontier fortress and
as a military post. The German empire must
consolidate all the Balkan provinces with St.
Petersburg; also the districts between Dnieper
and Dwina. The Pester Lloy'ds article has
been repressed in Berlin without comment.
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From Constantinople reports come that under the prompting of Herr Von Rodanitz, German amiassador, the porte is hastily extending fortifications on the Bosphorus, and that German engineers are supervising the work. The latest St. Petersburg advices say that the war department is supplying troops with special ammunition pouches for Berdan rifles, which will enable each man to fire fourteen shots per minute. The projected alteration in the rifle was abandoned, so dispatches say, because in view of the gravity of the situation it was thought there would not be

situation it was thought there would not be sufficient time to make the change.

The whole tenor of the news is warlike and this caused a renewal of selling on bourse today. Final quotations were worse and since the alarm set in no such extensive unloading of foreign securities had occurred. Austrian gold rentes fell 2½: Hungarian 1½ and Russian per cent and credit Anstalt 7 marks, and the panicky feeling of yesterday in Vienna had rather abated today, but the markets were in a state of suspense, and there was nothing doing.

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No measure that the present reichstag has considered, has so notably shown the national spirit, uniting all parties, as the new military bill. Yesterday's debate was a succession of patriotic speeches, untainted by party bias. After General Von Schellendorf's pithy reposition of the motives of the bill. Herr Bennigsen for the national liberals, Baron Moltzolm for the old conservatives, and Count Behrinhoeff for the imperialists, declared the necessity for the measure. Windthorst, in a short, fervent speech, expressed the willingness of the center to pass it as presented without reference to a committee, if the government considered that the urgency of the situation required this action, through the imminence of war. Herr Richter also intimated that the progressist party would give general support to the measure, adding that discussion in committee was advisable, seeing that the bill proposed some organic changes. Only one fraction of the socialists, he said, had again earned bad distinction by a display of anti-German, under the guise of universal humanitarianism.

Herr Bebel protested that the measure, while increasing the combatative power of the empire, meant oppression to the people of

empire, meant oppression to the people within the empire and the spoilation of the people of other countries for the sole benefit of the mili-tary and bureaucratic classes. His short speech to the silent and indignant house con-firmed the opinion that there is an utter want of sympathy among the socialists in any more firmed the opinion that there is an utter want of sympathy among the socialists in any movement for the national defense. The debate has been especially gratifying to the government. The absence of the opposition which troubled the passage of the army bill proved that every section of the house had become permeated with the sense of danger and is ready to respond to whatever demands the government deems expedient.

The Post speaks of the sitting as an assuming form of grand and elevating demonstration of patriotism. This justly expresses the public appreciation of the discussion. The committee will send the bill back without delay in substance unaltered.

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Today the cereal bill was read the third time. It includes an amendment raising the duty on cast to four marks. All paragraphs were adopted in the form approved on the second reading of the bill, and the whole bill was finally passed—203 to 216—and the reichstag adjourned until January 17.

The Crown Prince's Condition SAN REMO, December 17 .- Dr. Mackenzie SAN REMO, December 17.—Dr. Mackenzie today, in the course of a conversation with the duke of Edinburg, stated that he was favorably impressed by the prince's condition. He declared that the existence of cancer was more doubtful than on the occasion of his last visit, and in fact had never been proven. Dr. Mackenzie will return to London in a week.

Aubertin is Mad.

Paris, December 17.—Aubertin, the man who attempted to assassinate M. l'erry in the hall of the chamber of deputies, was arraigned before a magistrate for the preliminary examination today. While the examination was progressing, the prisoner was attacked with dementia. Howas removed to a mad house.

### GERMANY'S CRISTS.

rial Family.

The crisis in German affairs is a matter of international concern and speculation. The emperor of Germany was born March 22, 1797, and is consequently over 90 years of age. The crown prince, Friedrich Wilhelm, is 56 years believed, he will not live to be 57.

This is the pathetic part of the history.

The old emperor has been a great soldier, a king, and an emperor. It cannot be expected that he will live much longer, and when he dies the German people will mourn the loss of a common father. But it is intimately more sad to consider the approaching death of the unfortunate crown prince. He possesses to an unusual degree the love of his people, he has proven himself worthy of that love, and of his high position, and is just now at that age when men are most fitted to assume the cares and responsibilities that would be encumbent upon him as his father's successor.

The crown prince has six children, the eldest being Friedrich Wilhelm, born January 27th, 1859. In the event—not at all improbable, of the early death of the emperor and of the crown prince—the probabilities are that this young man of not quite 29 years of age would become emperor. It can hardly be said that he enjoys, or merits, the great popularity of his father and grandfather. He is simply a young man, having no decided qualities either good or bad, and disposed to be as retiring as his position will alow him to be.

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Germans in general, too, are proud of the towering form and commanding presence that have characterized the Hohenzollerns for several generations, and which both the emperor and the crown prince are fortunate in possessing. The oldest son of the crown prince, however, is described as being of only medium height, and slightly stoop-shouldered. He is known to be a kind and gentle man and of high moral character, but there is believed to be something lacking.

Bismarck was born April first, 1815. The iron chancellor is beginning to feel the effects of old age and care and anxiety. Rome lived when Cæsar died, but it was changed forever by the horrors of a civil war.

France lived after Napoleon left it, but she changed her government and assumed her new name in a baptism of blood. So it is reasonably certain that Germany will survive the death of Bismarck. It is equally certain that if Bismarck were to die before the question of succession is settled, the succession will be in imminent danger of being neither peaceful nor popular.

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Russia is watching Germany closely, and with no good intent. France has been from time immemorial the mortal enemy of Germany, and is feverishly anxious to follow a second Napoleon to glory and revenge.

But Germany's greatest danger is not from her outside focs.

It will be remembered that Germany is merely a confederation—"an eternal union for the protection of the realm and the care of the welfare of the German people." To quote from the constitution of 1871. "The kaiser represents the empire internationally."

Each of these confederate states is more of less free in the management of its own affairs, and each of these confederate states is more or less powerful and ambitious.

Next to Prussia, Bavaria is the most powerful of the German states. The king of Bavaria is one of the most politic, powerful and dangerous of these sub-monarchs. He is utterly unprincipled, and for years has worked steadily toward the crown of Germany. It is more than suspected that he was the cause of his brother's death, by which he became king of Bavaria. Nor is Otto of Bavaria alone in the race. German Poland wants freedom. Schleswig-Holstein is in sympathy and tradition at least still a part of Denmark, as Alsace-Loraine is French.

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Now if, by any means, 'Germany should become divided, the fall of the empire, or at least its rapid decay from the high position it now holds, is almost certain.

The word "crisis" expresses the situation

A Talk With Dr. Schumann. Dr. Schumann, one of Atlanta's most promi-nent citizens, was asked concerning the crown prince's condition, and the complications likely

nent citizens, was asked concenting in the prince's condition, and the complications likely to arise.

"I do not know anything particular," he said, "only what I see in the papers, but I learn from papers and from correspondence with my friends and relatives in Germany, that the popularity of the crown prince is very great and general, and the whole people at home and abroad sympathize deeply with him and his family. Only think, a man in Breslau offered his own larnyx to be cut out and to replace that of the crown prince. Even the Parisian newspapers use a very decent language when they speak of the patient. Some of them even show sympathy, which is greatly appreciated by the German papers."

"Is he not a man of excellent physique?"

"Yes, and until quite lately we never heard of anything being the matter with him. He always was a man of great endurance, stood the fatigues of the campaign and of the numerous maneuvers and reviews excellently, as all members of the Hohenzollern family always did."

ways did."
"How about Prince William, his oldest son: "How about Prince William, his oldest son; does he enjoy the same popularity?"

Not quite. He seems to be a different character, but is considered a clever man, and a very excellent military man. The other day I heard the following anecdote of him. The little 8-year old, oldest son of Prince William, used a word in his father's presence which was not strictly parliamentary. At once his father supposed he had learned the word from one of the domestics, and was just entering into a serious investigation, threatening to dismiss the culprit if detected. At this moment the crown prince appeared and asked for the cause of the turmoil. When he learned it, he laughed, and said that the boy had heard that word from himself."

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"The oldest known ancestor of the house is Count Thasillo of Hohenzollern, who is said to have lived in the castle of Hohenzollern, in the southwestern part of Germany. I often saw the high mountain on which it is built, and where it has been beautifully renovated by the emperor. About the year 1200, Conrad I, of Hohenstander, became Burggraf of Nunemberg. One of his successors was made Markgraf of Beandenburg in 1413, and elector by Emperor Sig smund. Many princes of the house of Hohenzollérn reigned as prince electora in Branderburg. The last elector was Frederick III., who crowned himself in 1701, with the consent of the emperor, in Kalnigeberg, as king of Prussia. Under what circumstances the present emperor assumed the title and crown all recollect well. They all take the crown from the altar in the church and put it on their head. The old gentleman did so in Versailles."

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"Do the Hohenzollerns belong to the Guelphs?"

"Oh, no; the Guelphs, or, as we call them, Welfen (this word is connected in meaning ag in etymology with the English word 'whelp'), are said to descend from Wavin, count of Altdorf, who lived at the time of Charlemagne. His son Isenbrand was the father of Welf I. Welf III. acquired Kaernter and Verona. Welf IV. became the duke of Bavaria. His son married Marquese Mathilde of Tascana, and thus the enmity between the Welfish houses and the German emperors of the Salish and the Hohenstaufen houses, who were called Waiblinger or Ghibellinen, was introduced into Italy, and there cropped out in the continued feuds of the Italian free cities the Montechi and Capuletti of Romeo and Juliet. In Germany the Welfs continued in Braunschweig (Brunseiz), Bavaria, Hanover, and were transmitted to England by George I., originally from Hanover.

BIBLE CHARACTERS.

By the Rev. D. McDonald at the Seco

Baptist Church.

The series of Sunday night discourses which
Dr. McDonald, paster of the Second Baptist church,
has been eugaged in delivering for some weeks,
have awakened the most attentive interest in Bible

have awakened the most attentive interest in Bible study.

In the analysis of Bible characters Dr. McDonald has evinced a knowledge of Biblical history remarkable for even so distinguished a scholar and preacher as he is known to be. In his peculiarly e ear and eloquent style he has brought out definitely the characteristics of each one that has been a subject of discussion, clearly revealing the foliness of the dealing of providence with the lives of men.

By reference to the church annonneements in another columns it will be seen that his subject for tonight is "Miriam, the sister of Moses." There is perhaps not a mo e interesting character in the Bible, and those who attend this service may expect a treat long to be remembered.

A Discussion Over Woman's Work.

TWO MOST POPULAR AUTHORESSES

Who Have Outdone Men in the Literary Field-Notes About the Monthly Magazines-Short Items of Interest.

Some one was talking the other day about the proper field for women, and there was quite a discussion over the trivial details of what is called woman's work. We all know what woman's sphere is; but woman's workthat is quite another matter. As to the field for this work, we need not say that the development of society or civilization, or whatever you please to term it, has widened it, until, instead of one field for women, there are now a thousand fields in which she has made her

The truth is, wherever woman feels that sh can be most successful, that is her field. In the south since the war, women have entered on something like a new era of existence. This is partly the result of hard circumstance, and partly the result of natural inclination. In literary field they have not only entered into very lively competition with the men, but, in some respects, they have outstripped them in the race. Two of them—Miss Murfree and Rives-have made their way into literary arcana of Boston, literary Boston is as exclusive new as it was in the days of Poe. Its taste is fastidious and its standard very high, but its interest and its attention are very good things for a struggling Miss Craddock-Murfree is to be represented in the January number of the Atlantic Monthly, which is a distinction that comparatively few American writers have

Then there is Miss Rives, whom we have alsingle short story, and who is to have a story of Virginia life in Harper's Magazine for January; there is Miss McClelland, whose remarkably strong story of "Oblivion" is familiar to our readers; there is Miss Grace King, whose stories of Creole life are no less felicitous than those of Mr. Cable; there is Miss Baylor, who has written a successful "international" novel; and there is Mrs. Jean-nette Walworth, whose studies of southern

life and character have won the highest praise.

This list might be extended, but we are not preparing a catalogue. The names we have given, and the success of those who bear development now going on at the south is no

Briefs About Books,

FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS, by C. H. W., amblished by Little, Brown & Co., Boston. In this little book will be found seven short stories of New England life. The stories have already been published in the magazines, and in that form they have been widely read and highly praised.

THE VAGRANT, by Vladimir Korolenko,

published by T. G. Crowell & Co., New York. This is a collection of Russian stories. They are intensely realistic, and will please the ad-

A RUSSIAN PROPRIETOR, by Count Tolstoi, shed by T. Y. Crowell & Co., New York. Here we have some of Tolstoi's earlier stories. They are in his best vein and are wonderfully

BALLADS OF ROMANCE AND HISTORY, published by the D. Lothrop Co., Boston. In this elegant holiday volume are grouped twelve exquisitely illustrated poems by well-known authors, printed on heavy paper with broad margins and attractively bound. The leading poem is by Susan Coolidge, and is entitled "Little Alix." It is a story of the children's crusade, one of the most extraordinary epiodes in the world's history, and the incident it narrates is vividly illustrated by the series of drawings from the pencil of Edmund H. Gar-rett. "The Deacon's Little Maid" is a charming story told by Mrs. A. T. D. Whitney of a little girl who longed to be like Mary of Beth. It is fitly illustrated by George Foster who also furnishes the for Nora Perry's "The Children's Cherry Feast," a ballad of the Hussite war and the siege of Naumberg; Margaret J. Preston's "Sir Walter's ' and Kate Putnam Osgood's "Olaf, the Sea King." Sarah Orne Jewett contributes to the making of the volume a s
"York Garrison—1640," and of little Masterson, who wandered outside the fert into the midst of a score of hidden savages, and got back again unharmed. Margaret Sidney's stirring ballad of "The Minute Man at Concord," is incorporated, with its strong series of illustrations by Hy. Sandham. F. Childe Hassam furnishes the drawings for Celia Thaxter's poem of "The Lost Bell," Elizabeth Stuart Phelp's, "The Tenement House Fire," and Mrs. Platt's "Three Little Emigrants;

Story of the Chevalier," by Harriett Prescott Spofford, is a tale of the chivalry of old France. The illustrations are by Garrett.

Wide Awake, the D. Lothrop Co., Boston.

This is the holiday number of the splendid juvenile magazine. It contains H. Rider Haggard's new serial complete, with other special attractions, and is superbly illustrated.

and Lucy Larcom's "Ballad of the Hemlock

Tree," and "York Garrison" are illustrated by W. L. Taylor. The twelfth poem, "The

Mr. James Russell Lowell is expected to contributed several papers to the Atlantic Monthly during the coming year. Mrs. John Eliot, better known in literature by her maiden name, Maud Howe, has nearly completed a

After many conflicting rumors as to Mr. Howells's intentions it is finally made known that he is to pend the winter in Buffalo.

The sale in this country of the Appleton edition of Mr. Darwin's biography is keeping pace with that of the English edition in Great Britain.

"It would be curious," remarks the London Spec-ator, "to pursue the reason why the blight of in rticulationess falls upon so many of the best writers

and Frank A. Marshall have prepared, and which Scribner & Welford are to publish, will consist of sight volumes of small quarto size.

The Athenaum says that Walt Whitman has just sent to England a preface and some new material for a second popular volume of his prose writings. It will consist of "Democratic Vistas" and other

A critical "Life" of Francis Bacon is in course of preparation by the Rev. Edward C. Towne. The second volume of his work proposes to demonstrate the absurdity of the delusion that Bacon either did write, or could have written, the plays of Shak-meare.

Charles Es bert Craddock's new serial story for the Atlantic has been understood to have for its title "Reaping the Whirlwind," but it is announced by the publishers that another title, "The Despot of Recommender Comment." Broomsedge Cove," has been decided on. The latter has at least the merit of being more like a

The production in Paris of the play of "The Abbe Constantine" gives interest to the fact that the story by Halevy, on which the play is founded, was translated and published in this country five years ago, although an impression to the contrary exists in Paris. The translator was Emily H. Hazen, and the publishers ware G. P. Puttanyi Sans. The Sans.

enearthed a number of documents in the Romagua, at Pau, at Simancas, and Pamplona, which throw new light upon the career of Casar Borgia, especially with regard to the latter part of his life in Spain, by means of which the romantic story of his escape from pr.s.m and his death in an obscure skirmish is for the first time made clear. A resume of M.
Yriarte's discoveries is to appear in Blackwood in

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That shows how much a girl knows. The man told

me he is a full-blooded cur."

three parts, entitled, respectively, "Carar, Cardinal of Valencia;" "Carsar, Duke of Valentinois and Prince of Romagna;" "Carsar in Spain."

Prince of Romagua;" "Cassar in Spain."

The January number of Scribner will be issued just before Christmas, and an effort has been made to give it a holiday character, to make it, in fact, a "worthy successor of the brilliant Christmas number." Mr. Blashfield, whose contributions, aided by Mrs. Blashfield, to the Christmas number on Florence, was a charming piece of work, will have in this issue the first part of an elaborate description of "The Man at Arms," being an account of the use of armor from the time of Charlemagne until it ceased to be used. Mr. Blashfield has prepared this account after exhaustive study in the museums and

ount after exhaustive study in the mi libraries of Europe.

The Writer, that excellent monthly published in Boston, which has for its aim giving help and encouragement to literary workers, has completed its first volume, and rejoices in the fact that it has more than paid its living expenses during this trying period. All its success has been well deserved. Its publishers have now organized a literary bureau, having for its object the finding of a market for manuscripts. "If you have a manuscript," says the respectives, "for which you wish to find a nurchaser. carnes of Europe. manuscripts. "If you nave a manuscript, says the proprietors, "for which you wish to find a purchaser, send it to us, and it will be carefully examined and returned to you with a list of the periodicals to which it is best suited, their names being arranged in proper order for trial." For these services a small fee will be charged.

William C. Harris, the editor of the American Angler, has undertaken to publish an important work, entitled "The Fishes of North America," for which he has been five years engaged in collecting the material. It will be illustrated by chromo-lithography from designs on canvas by an artist who ac-companied Mr. Harris on his fishing excursions and who made his sketches before the sheen of the color tints on the fishes had faded. Each fish repre sented was caught with Mr. Harris's own rod, with the artist standing near the pool at the time, or with his easel in the stern of the boat. The work will be issued in parts, of which there will be forty portrait America. It is estimated that the expense of the plates alone will aggregate \$15,000. The first part will be issued at an early date and the others will follow on the 15th of each month.

The French Academy last month listened to a full report by M Jeffrey on the historical writings of Francis Parkman. It was a very complimentary report apart from the compliment implied in the fact of the notice taken by so eminent and conservative a learned body. In summarizing the report the Temps says: "The title alone shows the vast extent and west inverse; of these studies." To a known. tent and vast interest of these studies. To a knowledge of the country Mr. Parkman adds the patient study of historical documents, of which he has study of historical documents, of which he has formed a collection of unique richness, famous even in Europe. His work is at once that of observer, historian, and artist; and the notes at the foot of the pages add a flavor of exactness to his vivid descrip-tions. His narrative is always accompanied with proofs. He leans neither to the side of England nor of France. He is, above all, American,

NELLIE'S CAMPAIGN. How a Young Lady was Elected School Com-

How a Young Lady was Elected School Commissioner.

Lyons, N. Y., December 15.—By far the most unique and lively earwass ever made by any local candidate in this county is that of Miss Nellie Cooke during the past three weeks. Miss Cooke lives in the village of Wolcott, and was regularly nominated at a democratic convention for school commissioner. When the old-time democrats expressed their anger because a woman had been placed upon their ticket, and the local republican leaders ridiculed her nomination, she became angry and declared she would make the liveliest and best canvass in her power. She is wealthy in her own in her power. She is wealthy in her own name, and has drawn heavily upon her funds She is twenty-one years old, and has an unu-sually handsome face and splendid figure, and

ery taking manners.

In company members of the democratic with ounty committee, she has visited hundreds f farmers and merchants in her district and

asked them for their votes.

Many have attended four and five of her meetings and driven miles to hear her. Last evening she spoke for over two hours at South evening she spoke for over two hours at South Butler to 1,200 peop e, and no such meeting has ever been known there. Young men drew the open carriage containing the fair young candidate to the public hall, while a brass band preceded playing national airs. Then followed 200 men on foot, some of them bearing transparencies across which were painted patriotic emblems and the words: "Yote for Nellie for school commissioner, etc."

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Today the contest was resumed at the polls by Miss Cooke and her friends, and the canvass for votes has been very lively. From early morning until the polls closed, Miss Cooke and a party of young democratic women have worked diligently. Two nice old farmers, who said they would not vote for "no gal," were actually won to Miss Cooke's support by kisses, which every person at the polls cheered to the echo.

At South Butler refreshments at Miss Cooke's expense were provided to all voters by the young women, who urged every one to vote for Miss Cooke for school commissioner. At North Ross and Sodus she had refreshment tables, and at Red Creek Miss Cook had a brass band play patriotic airs throughout the afternoon.

The result of the election is very Democrats here believe that Miss Cooke is the first female school commissioner in the en pire state.

Current Interest in Cancer. The sudden public interest in cancer, says the St. James Gazette, shows how true it is that people are blind even to the most obvious facts until something happens to direct special a tention to them. Cancer is by no means an unfamiliar disease, and during late years has been steadily increasing in this country. The deaths from cancer per 10,000 persons living are now about 5-5, which is a higher rate than that of the deaths from dyphtheria, croup dropsy, water on the brain, kidney disease, and others, of which more is heard. In view of the in crease which has recently taken place (in 1861-6 crease which has recently taken place (in 1861-65 the rate per 10,020 persons living was 3-68), its secretainly desirable that the special inquiry should be made into the causes of this terrible malady, with a view to the prevention of a disease which, when established, is now incurable. So, e years ago there was published somewhere a "enneer map" of Great Britain, showing that the disease is practically absent from high level districts, but very prevalent in low-living and marshy regions. The lesson dew-lying and marshy regions. The les

From the N. Y. Hera'd.

A singular error, involving a reversal both of law and of fact, was made in a quarter sessions court the other day by Judge Willson. The case be-fore the court was a cross-suit for assault and bat-tery, and the parties at the time of the alleged offense were respectively a policeman and a private citizen. The citizen, Cornellan, had recused to "move on" when ordered to do so by the police-man, Kiele, and when the officer undertook to ar-

liable to cancer should, if possible, live in high and

"move on" when ordered to do so by the policeman, Klede, and when the officer undertook to arrest him he resisted. In charging the jury Judge Willson said, among other things:

Even though the officer in this case oright not to have arrested Cornellan, yet when he was taken into custody of the law it was his duty to go quistly. No man who is arrested, though he may know himself to be innocent, has a right to use violence to prevent the arrest. Therefore it was the duty of this man when he was arrested to go quietly with the officer, and if he struck the officer he ought to be convicted.

Now, this is not good law. More than that, it never was the law, and is, in fact, as every fairly read lawyer knows, or should know, just the reverse

read lawyer knows, or should know, just the reverse of the law. A police officer who undertakes with out a warrant to arrest a citizen not actually en gaged in a breach of the peace does so at his peril And it would be the right and duty of a citizen who when the transfer of the peace does so at his peril. And it would be the right and duty of a citizen who should be thus assailed not to submit quietly, but to resist by every and any means at his command such an unlawful and intolerable invasion of his personal liberty. Folicemen are simply citizens who have been engaged to preserve the peace in the community, and their position confers upon them no legar rights that are not enjoyed by other citizens. Judge Willson's charge on this point in the case above referred to is neither good sense nor sound law, and no citizen should regard it as an authoritative utterance.

From the Philadelphia News.
Charlie, aged eight, brought home a slinking yellow pup, bow-legged, dropping-tailed and slame-faced. He cared for it tenderly, fixed a dry goods box in the back yard for a kennel, and on every possible occasion exhibited the animal proudly. His sister Ella, aged eighteen, asked him facetiously: "Where did you get that dog?" "I bought him from a man for twenty-five cents," with the pride of ownership. "Mercy! The idea of paying twenty-five cents for that horrible beast!" Charlie's eyes flashed indignantly. "He isn't horrid.

## CLINTON'S CAREER.

Why Lem Clinton Joined th Mossbacks.

As the sun went down behind the towering hills and lofty pines that stretch themselves along the Tallapoosa river, just west of the village of Wedowee, a regiment of cavalry made their appearance in the main square of the little town, halted, dismounted and stacked arms. This was on the evening of the 13th day

of January, 1864, and the people of Wedowee were soon collecting in groups and with anxious faces discussed the meaning of the visit of the soldiery, and many speculations were indulged in as to the object they had in view

The people of this section of Alabama were about equally divided upon the issues of the war, but those who now made up the population of Wedowee-principally women children-seemed by mutual consent to dwell strife, and those able to bear arms who had not oined either the union or the confederate forces had taken to the mountain fastnesses— one to escape being conscripted and thus cut off from opportunity of defending their homes against the ravages of the bushwhackers, and the other for the reason that they still loved the old flag and refused to be ruled by the government of secession. Out of these circumstances grew complications' that made the ection the most dangerous for either party

and was cause for many a bloody tragedy It was soon learned that the soldiers had been sent into this territory for the purpose of recruiting, to enforce the law of conto gather up deserters and overawe the element that still clung to the old flag and were op

Un to this time there were what was known as "mutual men"-men who did not favor the yankees and yet refused to join the confed-

Among the latter was a brawny mountain who stood six feet three inches in his stocking feet, and was rated as the strongest, the fleet est and the bravest man of the section, but yet the most unassuming of them all. He was truly a man of peace till the circumstances surrounding him forced him to fight, and the killing by confederates of his daughters con im into a man fit for the bloody times, and the name of Lem Clinton became a hol

The bush whackers that intested this mountain region had striven hard to enlist Clinton into their ranks, knowing that he was just the man for a leader, and in persistently refusing to join them he made secret enemies of them and he well knew that they only wanted an opportunity to kill him and then wreak their vengeance upon those who were only safe under his watchful eye and strong arm.

On the other hand, it was insisted by the confederates that Clinton was liable under the consorfet law, and there were those who made themselves diligent in trying to force him into the service, thus placing him between two The bush whackers that intested this m

the service, thus placing him between two fires, all of which he stood without flinching, and was always found defending the weak against the depredations of the factions.

The troops above mentioned took up their quarters near the little town of Wedov m thence would go by squads in different directions, and woe it was to the deserter from he confederates or the man liable to the conscript whom they chanced to come up with The killing of Clinton's two young daughters was the work of one of these parties and is a part of the history of the war between the

The Clintons lived in a double log house, or what is known as the "Fork ridge," about equal distance between the two Tallapcosasthe Little and the Big Tallapoosa-and upon the night of the bloody tragedy two young girls, the mother and a small babe were the occupants of the house. One of the fgirls carded the cotton into rolls while the other stood at a spinning wheel converting the rolls into thread. The mother sat with her eyes upon the blazing lightwood-knot fire that fur nished light for the apartment, knitting upon a sock for her husband, while one foot tipped the rocker of a cradle and soothed the babe to rest. The rain patteredsupon the boards, and the roar of the waters of the Tallapoosa mingled with the zoon of the spinning wheel, and save these, there had been monotonous silence for some time.

'Keep the coffee por by fle fire," said the mother, "for the night is rough, and I think your father will come in."

"Yes, I've been thinking of him myself," spoke the elder girl, "and I most know he'll be in tonight, for the river is up and it's rainy too, so there's no danger from the raiders, and he can get a good rest under his own roof."

As the last words were attered, the dogs be

gan to bark, and they started off in a run down the path that led to the spring. "That's him! That's him!!" spoke all in "Hang out the signal," spoke the mother-

for it was the custom in those days to give warning signals, which had meanings understood by the 'layers-out.' The girls dropped their work, and the mother at once busied herself heating up the

meal that had been saved in expectation of his coming. In a moment more the tall form of Lem Clinton stooped as he entered his own in one hand the long double-barreled gun which he carried, with the other he

gave each a hug in turn, and we leave the here to visit the camp of the soldiers at We dowee, and see what is being done there. "I want twenty voinnteers to follow me to

night," said a fine calvary lieutenant, as he buckied on his sword and walked among the

"I am going to raid the fork this night," continued the lieutenant, "and I don't want a man with me but that it is willing to be buried over there, if necessary, to break up that nest of what they call 'mutuals'."

It was but a moment to secure the volum teers and have everything ready for the raid. The waters of the Tallapoosa were bursting over every low place along its banks, and the rain was falling in torrents.

"We'll have to swim at the ford," said the And so they did, and this was why Clinton had ventured to visit his home upon that fatal night. He rested at the little home, feeling perfect security, and even the dogs had gat ered around the blazing hearth, and were looking gladly upon their master, when the sharp click of the guns of the soldiers came simultaneously with the command of the cal

Surrender and open your doors or we'll break them down.' The command was refused by the elde

daughter, who threw herself against the door, and at the same time Clinton had made himself ready to sell his life as dearly as possible. The door was broken down, and inc ous with that guns were presented at Clinton, who was standing ready to defend himself against the first who should enter. 'Surrender or die!" exclaimed the lieuter

ant, as the men held their fingers upon the triggers of their guns.
"Die!" said Clinton. "I'll never surren-

At this instant the daughters and mother rushed between Clinton and his pursuers and the mother was badly wounded and the two girls killed instantly.

As his dear ones fell upon the floor Clinter

seemed to lose all reason, and rushing upon his pursuers in the dark he fought as a demon

brought to bay and defeated single-handed the entire crowd, killing the lieutenant and three of his men and wounding six more of them by

The vows that Clinton made, kneeling that night by his loved ones, he devoted his life to fulfill, and if there is more than one of that company of men who have not subsequently died with their boots on, it is not known, and it will be well, if there are any, for them to keep very quiet and be on the watch for an six-foot-three man, and keep out of his way, for Lem Clinton still lives never made peace nor laid his gun in its rack from that day to this.

Let us follow Clinton from the graves of his ved ones, for he has joined the bushwhackers -if that is the proper name-and has made an appointment to meet with them at their meeting place. Here he goes, over a rugged moun-tain path, until at last the trail is lost and he scrambles from peak to peak till he stands upon a towe ing crag, whose foot is washed by the turbid waters of the big Tallapoosa. He has been here before, for he lashes his gun upon his shoulder and at once approached a huge grape vine that has been fastened to a mountain oak and spliced till it reaches the waters below, and grasping it with firm hold he eases himself over the precipice and down, hand over hand, for two hundred feet he goes, till his feet strikes the bottom of a light batteau, and then seating himself at one end he moves down the river till he comes to the confluence of the Big and Little Tallapoos rivers, and there he stops, draws his batteau up in the bushes and makes his way a few steps into the forest, where the bushwhackers are to hold their meeting and formulate thei

Here is a spot that nature has fitted for a hall of secrecy. Two large rivers forming a wall on one side and in front, with a limitless forest back in the "fork," with towering crags and lofty trees, that lend their shadows to a dismal night that makes darkness seem a thing of substance.

Fifty men, made desperate by the feuds of the times, swear allegiance to each other, and elect Lem Clinton as their captain.

"Now give me a chaw of 'bacco," said heavy-set, middle-aged man, who held a gun n his hand that was fully as long as hims and whose right name was Hickenbother, but who was familiarly known as 'old Hick,' haint had nothing to say at the meeting, but I voted for our captain, and now me and old Betsy Baker,' (as he called his gun) are ready to obey his orders and to follow him to h-1. "I wish he'd order you to kill that owl that's been er he-ho-ing over thar for the last two

hours," spoke up Joe Presly.
Further conversation was cut short by the tall form of Lem Clinton arising from the log upon which he had been sitting, and chunking the dir fire which furnished a little light for the occasion, he cleared his throat and said :

"Boys, you all know me. I've not got much to say. You all understand what we have agreed upon about the signals, but I will repeat to you the urgent charge already given, that no man shall leave these diggings so far but what he can see a light when it is flashed from the 'ferry peak,' unless he gets permission to do so. When you see a light burning on yander highest peak, to the right of the ferry landing, you must drop everything and report here at this place as soon as you can; and mind, be eareful and look out for spies. The meeting is

So spoke the man who had been chosen by manimous consent, the leader of the "layersout," of the Tallapcosa "fork."

Let us again visit the camp of the soldiery at Wedowee. Three days rations have been prepared and the men are ready to march at a noment's warning. Eighty-five men are read len comrades in the Clinton fight.

The night is dark and as the soldiers mount their horses and file into the Burrow's ferry road and head for the river, the tall form of Lem Clinton emmerged from a neighboring thicket, and with his gun at a trail, he darts across the road and takes a near out that will land him at the ferry at least an hour ahead of the troops. Once at the ferry, he mounts up, up, the rugged side of the "ferry peak," and it is but the work of a moment to have the whole top of the towering peak illuminated by a lightwood fire, that had already been pre pared of rich lightwood splinters that would flash for but a moment and dying out, leave all in darkness.

The bushwackers are together, and led by nton, they take their of the road that is terminated by the river. With impassible mountains on either side, and the river in front, there was no way for the soidiers to retreat except to right about, if once

"Quiet men, let every man be quiet, until I shall give the word "fire," and then let every man do his duty, and Lem Clinton will do

There was nothing now for the bushwhackers to do but to await the coming of the soldiery. The trap was set, once in the gorge the sol-diers would have no way of retreat but to plunge into the swollen Tallapoosa, or to about face, which latter had been anticipated by Clinton and he had it arranged to close in the road and cut off retreat in that direction.

It was thus that things stood when the clank of sabres announced the close approach of the soldiers. On, on they came, unconscious of danger, till the head of the column had reached the river's bank, and the officer in command gave the word:

The tall form of Lem Clinton sprang into he mad, and at the same time his shrill voice was heard clear and distinct:

And fifty bushwhacke.a valled the trigger of heir guns, and above the clatter and confusion the voice of Lem Clinton was heard:

This closed the career of that company. Not me escaped to tell the tale, and that was the act organized military of the confederacy that made an attempt to invade the "fork."

Mr. Moody's Idea.

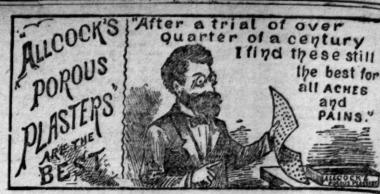
From the Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Moody, the evangelist, who should set the world a pattern of painstaking accuracy in truth telling, told the Pittsburgers the other day that "the man who steals one dollar is just as big a thief as the man who steals a thousand." The one dollar thief may be the same size as the other, but he is certainly a more agreeable thief to have around, and from a professional standpoint he is of much smaller caliber. It is noteworthy, too, that his rewards bear an inverse ratio to the size of his steallars. The man who foolishes that the als rewards ocar an inverse ratio to the size of his stealings. The man who foolistly steals a colour is liable to be sent to the works, while the man who steals a million may become a Napoleon of linance, or something of that sort. Will Mr. Moody apply his moral tape line and report whether John C. Eno, for instance, is just as big as a plain chicken that?

From the Brooklyn Engle.

They are in the shoe store. Mr. Man has bought for himself a pair of comfortable arctics, and Mrs. Man has fitted her dainty feet with the sweetest thing in handsome shoes the artist in I ather could design. "How much do I owe you?" asks Mr. Man. "Eleven dollars and a quarter," smilingly says the diplomatic clerk; "two dollars for the lady's shoes and nine and a quarter for your arctics, sir." And his salary is raised, he has gained for the house a steadfast customer.

Of the Davy family, of Rochester, the eldes girl is in the workhouse as incorrigible, the father is jailed as a drunkard, and Esau, the cidest son, aged nine, being left at home in charge of his three aged nine, being left at home in charge of his three sisters, aged five, six and eight, took them to a church, where the whole party loaded up with Bibles, hymn books and faus, and got well away before they were overhauled by a policeman and taken to the station. There three silver watches were found in Esau's pockets. He and his sisters were sent to a charitable institution.



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ROTECTION MUST BE MAINTAINED. Views of a Most Important Democratic

Journal of Alabama. From the Mobile Register, December 8. Mr. Cleveland's message will attract wide attention, not only in the United States, but abroad. It has already been received by the British press with exultation as marking a long step toward opening the markets of this country to the control of for

We have read this paper with the closest atter We have read this paper with the cheest hear-tion and the most earnest desire to agree with the president in his reasoning as well as his conclu-sions. On one point there is no difference of opinion among democrats. The revenue must be reduced, and the treasury should not again be put into a condition that invites dangerous appropria-tions. The language of the president on this point is full or wisdom and of warning. is full of wisdom and of warning.

All democrats will agree with the president also when he says that in reducing duties regard must be had to the demand of American labor for such protection as will put it upon terms of fair competi-tion with foreign labor. His language is a.m.st identical with that of the national platform. He

It is not proposed entirely to relieve the country of It is not proposed entirely to renew the continued as this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interests of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manu-

The standard of our laborers should not be meas

ed by that of any other country less favored, and With this provision kept steadily in view there can be no reduction of revenue that will open the gates to destructive foreign competition. The danger is that such a wise safeguard may be lost sight of in the inevitable tendency of the president's arguments. Taking wool as an illustration, the president enters into a minute calculation as to the profit a wool grower derives from a duty on wool and the loss he experiences in his purchase of woolen goods. Would not the same argument apply to cotton? The duty on manufactured cotton goods of the class generally worn throughout the United States, north and south, is 35 per cent ad valorem. If it is a fact that the duty is added to the price of the home-manufactured article, tien the people are taxed 35 per cent on every yard of cotton goods. It happens, however, that such is not a fact. The price of cot-ton goods in this country is but very little higher than it is abroad; and while we pay a little more for ton goods in this c untry is but very little higher than it is abroad; and while we pay a little more for the higher grades of cotton goods we keep up the price of cotton and we build up home factories to add to its consum, tion, and we are keeping at home the set at the sub-fact the sub-fa otherwise go to foreign markets. We see no differ nce in principle between the case of woolen

goods and that of cotton goods. Now, while we would like to see woolen goods cheaper, we would not like to see cotton goods cheaper, beause cheap cotton gools means cheap bales of The free trader in wool might make capital in a district where but little if any wool js grown; but the free trader in cotton goods would find it rough sailing in any southern district. We must give and

ake. We think the president's reasoning as to the relaive strength of populations is not sound. He assumes that every man reported as an agriculturist ov the census is in conflict on this question with those reported as manufacturers. The fullacy of this summary is in the fact that large numbers of agriculturists are employed about the large manu-facturing cities. One canning factory buys all the aches of a county. Another buys all the tomatoes of several counties. The candy makers and peanut oil refiners of New York give employment to the farmers of several counties in Viginia. One hotel

farmers of several counties in Vrainia. One hotel in Boston employs several dairy farms. The cotton oil mills of the south add greatly to the demand for cotton labor, and furnish a large per cert of its compensation. Here in Alabama, about Mobile, our truck farmers are kept going by the demand for early vegetables from western manu acturing cities. When Birmschem and other cities of weith Alabama, set their ingham and other cities of north Alabama get their full growth they will give employment to new gar-den farms throughout the c ast country. So, then a a very large body of a greaturists have an identical interest in the growth and prosperity of American

The truth is that all interests in this country are and ought to be mutually dependent, and instead of devising schemes to open our dearn to foreign goods which may destroy our two factories and leave us at the mercy of foreign traders, we should endeavor to protect and expand our internal com-

The reasoning of the president is precisely that of the Bright and Cobden school. Happily the world has discarded the doctrine as unsound. Every has discarded the document times, except Eng-strong government of modern times, except Eng-land, protects its home labor from foreign competi-

Practically, however, the issue to which the president's argument tends is not upon us in any dangerous form. It is true that in his desire to lessen duties he hints at retaining the tobacco tax, and thus endangers the success of his party in those middle states which have demanded a removal of the excise on tobacco; but it is to be hoped other continuous of gravour arid more practical imports will

the excise on tobacco; but it is to be hoped other questions of graver and more practical import will keep those states within the party.

So far as the south is concerned, we deplore the introduction of the free trade argument into our politics. On that question the whites will divide in the future as they divided in the past, and the fear is that white unity, built up in the face of such dangers and distress as the world never before witnessed, will go to pieces and leave rollety in chaos. Grasping at shadows, we are risking the substance of social peace and pure government,

The War Spirit. From the Boston Herald.

So long as there are constantly three million or more men under arms on the continent of Euor more men under arms on the continent of Europe, war scares will periodically occur. Every movement of troops is suspicious, and international jealousies are at all times present, that might be enlarged into causes for hostility. If we had a standing army of, say, 750,000 men and Canada had a force of 550,000, our little disagreements with our northern neighbor would before this have plunged the two nations into a bloody war. The man who is most frequently finding occasion for using it. PRESIDENTIAL POVERTY.

How a Niece of Andrew Jackson Begged for a Night's Lodging.

From the New York World. Washington, December 11 .- A nicce of Andrew Jackson had to beg for a night's lodging at Andrew Jackson had to beg for a night's lodging at a Washington hotel this week. Sixty years old and without a cent in her pocket, she arrived here from Washington territory on her way to her friends at Staunton, Va. Her transportation from Coleago had been furnished by char.ty, and it was charty that gave her a night's rest here and sent her on her way south. She had three grandchildren with Ie and she was absolutely destitute. She has many friends at Staunton, and she seemed bright and cheerful in

soluti. She has many friends at Staunton, and she seemed bright and cheerful in the midst of uer trouble. The children were well dressed, and they showed no signs of the sorious which seems to hang over the relatives and descendants of our presidents.

Thomas Jefferson's granddaughter, Septima Meikleham, died here recently, leaving several grand children to battle with the world. One of her sons, owing to a severe sickness, is not at all strong mentally. One of her daughter is not well enough to work, and the other is employed in due of the government departments. Another great granddaughter of Jefferson has charge of a school in Baltimore, and Monticello has long since pass do up of the hands of the family. Just before Jefferson died he was so much in delt that a lottery scheme was gotten up to sell his property and relieve his necessities. He left practically nothing to his children, and they received some two sums of \$10.00 each from the legislatures of two of the southern states.

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John Tyler left some property, but it all went to his second wife. One of his sons, General John Tyler, who drove a four-in-hand while this father was in the white house, and who was then called the handsomest man in Washington, lives off a position in the treasury department, and one of Tyler's most accomplished daughters, a lady who presided over the executive mansion after her mother's death, and until her father morried Julia Gardner, is a guest at Corcora's Old Ladies' home here. A man who claims to be one of the Washington family, and who, by the way, has face strikingly like that of the president, p ddles trinkets in a little booth in the pension bunking. Dolly Madison, the president's wife, was, during a part of her last days, larnished food by a colored man who had been in P. addedt Madison's service. She got, however, a large sum of money from congress for Madison's papers, and it was this tant e sed ht declining years.

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Most of the presidents have died poor, and few of them have made much out of office-holding. Monroe was so poor that his latter days were spent with his son-in-law, Somuel L Gouverneur, in New York, and there he died. Harrison left nothing to speak of. Polk left about \$150,000, including Polk place at Nashville, where his widow now lives. It is a waynable block of ground in the content of the last of the content of the lock of ground in the content of the last of the content of the lock of ground in the content of the last of the lock of ground in the content of the last of the last of the lock of ground in the content of the last of the l

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A lumses were money-savers, if not money-makers, i he letters of be ha Adams, the second president, to his wife, Abigail, repeatedly urge her to cut down the household expenses and to practice economy. He lumehed himself on ont-cake and lemonade, and he walked far oftener than he rode.

John Quincy Adams received nearly a half million dollars from the government in salaries during his life time, and he possuseed the yankee thrift. The Arans fmlly at present is one of the richest in New England, and I was told at Kansas City that Charles Francis Adams had more than a million dollars invested in real estate there. He has railroad stocks and bonds in addition, and he makes his money breed like Australian rabbits.

Andrew Jackson spent more than his salary while he was in the white house and he hadto borrow money to keep up with his expenses. Thomas Jefferson borrowed the money that carried him out of Washington when he lett the presidency, and Andy Johnson though I e entertained considerably, is supposed to have saved at least \$50,000 during his white house career. He died, I am told, worth about 100,000, and the most of this came from economy. It was a pretty good estate for a tailor to leave. James Buchanan was making about \$5,000 a years at the law when be entered congress, and he spent during his presidency what was left from his living expenses in charity. He was not, however, a

leave. James Buchanan was making about \$5,000 a yearst the law when he entered congress, and he spent during his presidency what was left from his living expenses in charity. He was not, however, a rich nu n when he died, and his estate of Wheatlands was sold a year or two ago.

President Fillmore began life as a wool-carder, During the three years he was engaged to his sweetheart, he had not enough money to pay the sxpenses of the hundred and fifty miles which lay between her home in Saratoga county, New York, and where he had begun to practice law. During the first years of their marriage his wife did the housework and taugit school, and still he died one of the richest of the presidents. The greater part of his fortune, however, c.m.; from his second marriage to a rich woman or suffalo, whom he courted after his first wife died.

President Cleveland is supposed to be worth about \$10,000, and he owns, I am told, real estate in Burialo which is rapidly advancing in value. President Arthur left much less than he was sup pred to be worth. Garfield shortly before his deata owed \$30,000 to General Swaim, and Grant did not add to his fortune by his white house career. Hayes made money out of the presidency, and is rich through inheritances and economy. The presidency, but the same abilities which made them presidents would, if they had been used in the field of money making and money-saving, have given them for tunes.

From the New Xork Herald.

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The Herald has received a number of inquiries as to whether Chinese can be naturalized. The anti-Chinese law passed by congress in 1863 contains this section:

That herafter no state court or court of the United States shall admit Chinese to citizeship, and all laws in conflict with this act are hereby repealed. As full power over the subject of naturalization is vested in congress by the constitution there can be no doubt that the above law is binding on state as well as federal courts. It is for congress to say whether the Chinese shall be subject to naturalization, and it has said that they shall not.

In spite of this law a Chineman has now and then been naturalized by a state court, but such naturalization is not valid.



TERRORISM IN RUSSIA.

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Prisons on the Slightest Suspicion.

Prom the December Century.

When General Strehnikoff was intrusted by the tear with almost dictatorial power in order that he might extirpate sedition in the provinces of southern Russia, he arrested and threw into prison in the single city of odes through the tear with a prison in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no less than 118 persons in three days. He no there and arrested eighty-then went to Klev and arrested eighty-nine persons almost simultaneously, and ordered the imprisonment of hundreds of others in Kharkoff, Nikolaief, Pultava, Most of these arrests were made entirely without what is known as "probable cause, without what is known as arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons are arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons are arrested were merowhich they had not been able to discover.

riedd into the movements, conversations occupations of their older relatives occupations of their older relatives or the most of their older relatives of them. Streinkoff's plan was to a simultaneously a large number of person longing to the "untrustworthy" class, if them into prison, keep them for ten day two weeks in the strickest solitary conment, and then subject them to a terrinquisitorial examination, with the of exterting scraps of information, here the and there a little, which might be progressly to an "untrustworthy" family, and as to reveal the outlines of a revolution of "untrustworthy" family, and a picious" letter to her had been inferced the authorities, or if she had been seen cout of a "suspicious" house at a late the evening, she was arrested in one of police raids, generally at night, conveyed close carriage to the Odessa prison, pusolitary-confinement cell and left to her agonizing thoughts. No explanation was her of this summary proceeding, and appealed to the sentinel on duty in corridor the only reply she obtained in the sentinel on duty in the corridor the only reply she of was. "Prikazano ne gavarit" is forbidden." The effect produced a young, inexperienced, impression from the repose, quiet and secur her own home, to a narrow, gloomy cell remight give way under the strain of such common criminal prison at night cries and struggles of a drunken and discussion from the repose, quiet and secur her own home, to a narrow, gloomy cell might give way under the strain of such casual" who is being strapped to his is another part of the prison; cries whichs to an inexperienced girl some terrible se violence and outrage; the occasional claheny door; the moaning and hysterical heavy door;

another part of the prison; cries which so to an inexperienced girl some terrible so violence and outrage; the occasional class heavy door; the moaning and hysterical fing of other recently arrested prisoners on the same corrilor, and the sudden and less appearance now and then of an unknown and face at the little square port-hole in the door through which the prisoners are was all combine to make the tirst night of a girl in prison an experience never to by some while she lives. This experience, ever, is only the beginning of the trial her courage and self-control are destinundergo. One day passes—two days—days—ten days—without bringing any from the outside world, or any inform concerning the nature of the charges against her. Twice every twenty-four tood is handed to her through the square, hole by the taciture guard, but nothing gainst her. Twice every two hydrographs of the square per hole by the taciturn guard, but nothing elbreaks the monotony and the solitude of hile. She has no books, no writing materia no means whatever of diverting her though or relieving the mental strain, which soon is comes almost unenderable. Tortured by a prehension and by uncertainty as to her of faite and the fate of those dear to her, she donly pace her cell from corner to corner unshe is exhausted, and then throw herself the narrow prison bed and in sleep try to look consciousness of her misery.

At last, two weeks perhaps after her arrest, when her spirit is supposed to be sufficiently broken by solitary confinement and grief, she is summened to the depres, a preliminary amination, without witnesses of counsel, educted by General Streinikoff in peasen. begins by saying to her that she is "chary with very serious crimes under such and strain of the nonal code, and that she str

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PRESIDENTIAL POVERTE.

How a Niece of Andrew Jackson Begged for a Night's Lodging.

the New York World.

ASHINGTON, December 11.—A nicce of Washington, December 11.—A nicce of indrew Jackson had to beg for a night's lodging at Washington hotel this week. Sixty years old and dishout a cent in her pocket, she arrived here from Vashington territory on her way to her friends at faunton, Va. Her transportation from Chicago had cen furnished by charity, and it was charity that ave her a night's rest here and sent her on her way both. She had three grandchildren with 10° and ho was absolutely destinte. She has many friends at Staunton, and she seemed bright and cheerful in he milst of uper trouble. The children were well freesed, and they showed no signs of the sorrow which seems to hang over the relatives and descendants of our presidents.

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mas Jerierson's grauddaughter, Soptima
cham, died here recently, leaving several
children to battle with the world. One of
as, owing to a severe sickness, is not at, all
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h to work, and the other is employed in one
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s and to practice economy, oat-cake and lemonade, and han he rode. The received nearly a half million ment in salaries during his cod the yankee thrift. The tis one of the richest in New d at Kansas City that Charles te than a million doctars and the received has railroad stocks. he makes his money

dilan rabu he makes his money dilan rabuits, seen spent more than his salary keen spent more than his salary the white house and he hadte borsep up with his expenses. Thomas ed the money that carried him out these he left the presidency, and hough le entertained considerate hough le entertained considerate have saved at least \$50,000 during carrer. He died, I am told, worth did the most of this came from econcetty good estate for a tailor to chanan was making about \$5,000 a hen he entered congress, end he presidency what wasleft from his in charity. He was not, however, a see doed, and his estate of Wheat-year or two ago.

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TERRORISM IN RUSSIA.

Hundreds of Children Thrown Into Gloomy

Prisons on the Slightest Suspicion.

From the December Century.

When General Streinikoff was intrusted by the tsar with almost dictatorial power in order that he might extirpate sedition in the provinces of southern Russia, he arrested and threw into prison in the single city of Odes: a no less than 11s persons in three days. He then went to Kiev and arrested eighty-nine persons almost simultaneously, and ordered the imprisonment of hundreds of others in Kharkoff, Nikolaief, Pullava, Kursk and other south Russian citics. Most of these arrests were made entirely without what is known as "probable cause," and for the sole purpose of obtaining clues to plots which the police believed to exist, but which they had not been able to discover. Many of the persons arrested were mere children—immature schoolboys and girls from fifteen to seventeen years of age—who could not possibly be regarded as dangerous censpirators, but who might, it was thought, be terrified into a confession of all they knew with regard to the movements geonversations and occupations of their older relatives and friends.

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General Streinkoff's plan was to arrest simultaneously a large number of persons belonging to the "untrustworthy" class, throw them into prison, keep them for ten days or two weeks in the strickest solitary confinement, and then subject them to a terrifying inquisitorial examination, with the hopof extorting scraps of information, here a little and there a little, which might be pieced together, like the parts of a dissected map, so as to reveal the outlines of a revolutionary plot. If, for example, a young girl belonged to an "untrustworthy" family, and a "suspicious" letter to her had been intercepted by the authorities, or if she had been seen coming out of a "suspicious" house at a late hour in the evening, she was arrested in one of these police raids, generally at night, conveyed in a close carriage to the Odessa prison, put in a solitary-confinement cell and left to her own agonizing thoughts. No explanation was given her of this summary proceeding, and if she appealed to the sentinel on duty in the corridor the only reply she obtained was. "Prikazano ne gavarit"—"Talking is forbidden." The effect produced upon a young, inexperienced, impressible girl by the overwhelming shock of such a transition from the repose, quiet and security of her own home, to a narrow, gloomy cell in a common criminal prison at night, can readily be imagined. Even if she were a girl of courage and firmness of character, her self-control might give way under the strain of such an ordeal. The sounds which break the stillness of a Russian criminal prison at night—the stealthy tread of the guard; the faintly heard cries and struggles of a drunken and disorderly "casual" who is being strapped to his bed in another part of the prison; cries which suggest to an inexperienced cirl some terrible scene of "casual" who is being strapped to his bed in snother part of the prison; cries which suggest to an inexperienced girl some terrible scene of violence and outrage; the occasional clang of a heavy door; the moaning and hysterical weep-ing of other recently arrested prisoners in cells on the same corridor, and the sudden and noise-

neary door, the months and a hysterical woods on the same corridor, and the sudden and noise-less appearance now and then of an unknown human face at the little square port-hole in the cell door through which the prisoners are watched, all combine to make the first night of a young girl in prison an experience never to be forgotten while she lives. This experience, however, is only the beginning of the trial which her courage and self-control are destined to undergo. One day passes—two days—three days—ten days—without bringing any news from the outside world, or any information concerning the nature of the charges made against her. Twice every twenty-four hours food is handed to her through the square porthole by the taciturn guard, but nothing else breaks the monotony and the solitude of her life. She has no books, no writing materials, no means whatever of diverting her thoughts or relieving the mental strain, which soon becomes almost unendurable. Tortured by apprehension and by uncertainty as to her own fate and the fate of those dear to her, she can only pace her cell from corner to corner until she is exhausted, and then throw herself on the narrow prison bed and in sleep try to loose consciousness of her misery.

At last, two weeks perhaps after her arrest, when her spirit is supposed to be sufficiently broken by solitary confinement and grief, she is summoned to the dopres, a preliminary examination, without witnesses or counsel, conducted by General Strehnkoff in person. He begins by saying to her that she is "charged with very serious crimes under such and such sections of the penal code, and that she stands

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It is not a matter of surprise if a young girl who has thus been torn from her home, who is depressed and disheartened by solitary confinement, who is without counsel, without knowledge of the law, without the support of a single friend in this supreme crisis of her life, breaks down at last under the strain of deadly fear and tells the inquisitor all she knows. She is at once released, but only to suffer agonies of self-reproach and remorse as she sees her relatives and dearest friends arrested, imprisoned and exiled to Siberia upon information and clews which she herself has furnished. It frequently, happens, however, that a girl remains steadfast and refuses to answer questions even after months of solitary confinement. The authorities then resort to other and even more discreditable methods.

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A bachelor crocodile weary of single existence, solicited the kind offices of a jackal to help him to a suitable partner. The jackal of the east is, in cunning, not one whit behind his western relative, the fox; in fact, in knowingness the former may be said to have the advantage.

Master Lack told his dyne, the greendile

the year at Ryan's Master Jack told his dupe, the crocodile, that he knew of a young lady who would suit him exactly. "But," said he, "she lives on the other side of the river, which I have no means of crossing."

"That need not stand in your way," said the amorous saurian; jump on my back and you shall be carried over in a trice."

"Done!" said the jackal, as he fixed his claws in the crocodile's scales.

In a few minutes he stood on the opposite bank. "Stay here for me," said he, running off into the jungle.

Now Master Jackal knew full well that there was no bride in those parts for the lovesake swain, nor did he propose troubling himself in the matter at all. His keen nose had caught the scent of a dead buffalo lying on that side of the river, on whose careass he longed to regale himself. And while the expectant crocodile; filled, with soft thoughts, lay waiting to hear the result of the jackal's overtures, that faithless gentleman was enjoying to the full his savory repast.

Having eat till he could eat no more, he re-

turned to the bank of the river and explained that, unfortunately, the father of the lady had gone to a neighboring village, and would not return till nightfall; but that he had ascertained from an astrologer what time on the morrow would be propitious for making further advances. Here the cunning rogue mentioned the hour of his habitnal midday meal.

There was no course left for the crocedile but to swim back with his false friend and hope for better luck the next day.

At the appointed hour next morning they met again, and the crocodile a second time carried the deceiver across the stream. The latter, after enjoying himself as on the previous day, came back, saying that he had seen the father, who was not ill-disposed towards the union, but thought it better to take counsel with his brother, whom he would see that evening. He declared also that there was every

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Day after day did this unsuspecting victim of misplaced confidence carry his treacherous friend backwards and forwards across the stream until the last morsel of buffalo flesh had been devoured, and naught remained but the bones, horns and hoofs. Not one fragment of the banquet was ever brought to the unhappy crocodile, and all he had to feed on was the unsatisfactory banquet of deferred hope.

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Finally, having no further need of the amphibian's assistance, when once more he was borne to the shore nearest home, the crafty jackal, nimbly springing to land, ran off to the jungle, and as he reached its skirts he turned round, and whisking his tail in the air, exclaimed in derisive terms: "What marriages for crocodiles that live in rivers!"

It is well to have a wife of a frugal mind, who tries to turn all things to the best account. But it is possible she may carry the principle too far, as is shown in the following story of a village spouse:

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It is the custom in Ceylon to present the village barber, at the end of the year, with a bag of grain, or some article of clothing, in return for the services of his razor.

Among some eastern races it is thought disgraceful for a man to shave himself, as it is the occupation of a "low caste" man; and it is not unusual for a person of rank and influence to annoy his humbler neighbors or indulge some gradge against them by interdicting the barber from practicing his skill on them. It has more than one fallen to the lot of the writer, as a magistrate, in days gone by, to have all the male members in days gone by, to have all the male members of a village community coming into court with "stubby" visages, black, grizzly, or gray, complaining that the barber would not shave them, and praying the interference of the judicial officer. Unfortunately the law makes no provision for such contingence and all one can

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But to return to the vilager's wife. The barber came one day to shave her husband, but it so happened that he was out at the time, and his wife, knowing that the bag of rice would be claimed all the same, and being desirous that the barber should not earn his reward too cheaply, made him shave her head! On her husband's return she boasted to him how she had been even with the barber, and got her

husband's return she boasted to him how she had been even with the barber, and got her money's worth out of him.

This reminds me of another careful house-keeper, the wife of a worthy old gentleman, of whom it is related that, having prepared a black dose for a native neighbor, who neglected to call for it, she rather than sanction an act of wastefulness, insisted on her husband's swallowing it.

Once upon a time there lived a sage called Mahadenamuttha—"the great counsel-giver"—who was consulted on all important or difficult questions.

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One day a calf stuck its stupid young head into a pot, and could not get it out again. After trying various methods of extricating the animal's head, its owner resorted to the

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"Bring forth my elephant," said the sage, and the elephant was brought. He mounted it and followed the applicant to his house; but on reaching it the garden gate was found too narrow to admit the elephant.

"Break down the wall," was the next command of the wise man, and it was obeyed. But another obstacle presented itself in the form of an onthouse, and one end of that had to be demolished before the man of resources could gain access to the yard where the calf was still struggling for deliverance.

"Cut off the creature's head," said the dispenser of wisdom, and with prompt obedience the calf was decepitated. "Now smash the pot," was the final command, and the difficulty was solved.

Then, directing that the head should be ed to the owner of the animal, the great

A Lowly Tragedy.

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From the Boston Cour.cr.

The tragedies of the poor are oftenest made up of triffes which produce no impression in the telling; the slow weariness of starvation, the humble privations, the little things which wear away the life and vitality as the falling drops wear away the

An end came to one of those long, sad histories not long since. An old man and his wife who had lived together for nearly fitty years, were together in their poor lodgings. They had known better days, and even been well to do in earlier life. Almos helpless with age and the effects of privation and sorrow, the old man had fought with all his might. and still it was but a bare subsistence that he had been able to win. Tonight he was in one of those moods of dejection which come with want and sor-

"What would become of you." he said to his wife. "if anything should happen to me."

"Oh, nothing will happen to you," she said reassuringly. "Don't get to worrying."

"But I feel so feeble lately that I can't he'p thinking what you would do without me."

"Oh, I should be taken care of in some way," she said. "There is always a way out of things We've been togetler so long and lived through so many things that we ought to have confidence that things will turn out right somehow."

The next morning she woke and spoke to her husband. He did not answer. She put out her hand and her fingers touched the cold cheek of the dead.

A New Trial for Woolfolk.

From the Athens Benner-Watchman. We have no protest to make in the Woolfolk case so far as the result accords with the plain drift of evidence, for we are forced to believe him gullty, if ever man was guilty—but upon principle we are compelled to admit that the ends of strict stice would be best subserved and the dignity of the courts best upheld by granting a clarge of venue of the case from Bibb county. The proceed-ings in the courtroom on Wednesday were most remarkable, and we should not be surprised to see the reme court, in the face of the elear burden of vidence, grant Tom Woolfolk a new trial.

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Card From Mr. William F. Bowe. EDITORS CONSTITUTION: The special in Saturday's Constitution in relation to Savannah jail is very inaccurate, and conveys an impression entirely different from the facts. Respectfully, WM. F. PO NE.

Biggest bonanza of

RAILWAY INTELLIGENCE.

Personal and Other Gossip of Interest to Raliroad People.

Mr. George L. Harrison, of the Chicago and orthwestern milroad, is in the city.

Mr. Charles C. Casey, a traveling solicitor of the Missouri Central, passed through the city last Mr.Christopher Picquet, of Little Rock, Ark., a prominent railway soliciting agent, is in the

Mr. John G. Gardiner, of the Quincy and Anderson narrow guage railroad, was in the city tested by. Major J. W. Hicks, of the Great McKenzie onte, has gone to Texas in charge of a carload of migrants from Georgia.

Captain Julian R. Boggs, of the Richmond and Danville, with headquarters in Washington

Colonel E. R. Dorsey, the general ticket agent of the Georgia railroad, with neadquarters in Augusta, spent yesterday in Atlanta.

A party of twenty-eight white people left At lanta for Horsey Grove, Tex., yesterday. They bought their tickets of Captain Mann. Three parties of emigrants went through Atlanta yesterday on their way to Texas. All are well-to-do white people from Spartanburg county, South Carolina. An excursion of people from Arkansas and Texas will come south on the 2nd of this month. This will be one of the largest excursions of the year, and will take in Atlanta.

Mr. J. E. Reves. of the Cleveland, Columbus, Cincinnati and Indianapolis radroad, has been making a flying trip to Atlanta, and Mr. Frank Rollinson, of the same road, has also been here. Mr. Charlie B. Walker, of the Great McKen-de route, than whom there is no more popular man in the service, has just returned to Atlanta from South Carolina. He reports traffic in his line re-markably brisk

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H. A. Cullum, ex-superintendent of the Mann Boudoir Car company, was in the city day before yesterday. Mr. Cullum is now the general traveling agent of the Rome and Watertown raliroad, with headquarters at Chicago.

A party composed of 16 young ladies and 20 young men passed through Atlanta last night for Jacksonville, Fla. Ten young ladies are from Suwenee, Tenn., and are pupils in the Fairmount college and the young men are students in the University of the South.

versity of the South.

The Grand Hotel Pasaje, of Havana, Cuba, has issued a very neat pamphlet giving interesting data regarding Cuba for the benefit of tourist. A number of these attractive little books have been placed with Captain Mann for gratuitous distribution. Persons who intend visiting Cuba would do well to procure from Captain Mann one of these guidebooks.

guidebooks.

A drunken man's life was saved yesterday afternoon by Mr. B. F. Smith, a hand in the employ of the Central railroad. The man's name is Ben Wright, and he was going over the Mitchell street crossing. He was staggering along unmindful of the fact that an engine was coming toward him and was not ten feet away. Mr. Smith saw the danger and made a grab for Wright and jerked him from in front of the locomotive. The act was done in a twinkling and undouttedly saved the drunken man's life. But, in saving it, Mr. Smith imperiled his own.

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Mr. E. T. Charlton, formerly general passenger and freight agent of the Port koyal and Western Carolina railway, but now general passenger agent of the Central of Georgia I allway, was the recipient of a very handsome gold headed came from the ticket agents of the Carolina road. The cane was brought to Savannah I y Captain Black, of Augnsta, who was appointed by the agents to present the souvenir. Captain Blackin in presenting the cane, said he was authorized to say for his representatives that, it is but a small token to show their respect for heir late employer, and wished that his railroad career may be as bright in the future as it has been in the past. The recipient was pleased and surprised and expressed his thanks in a few choice and feeling words.

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Beginning today a new and important through car service from the west to Florida will go into effect. The schedule from Cincinnati to Atlanta, via the Cincinnati Southern and the Wettern and Atlantic, is the fastest ever before operated between the cities named. The train, containing a sleeper which does not change between Cincinnati and Waycross, leaves Cincinnati at 7:55 a. m. and arrives at Boyce at 5:20 p. m. It leaves Boyce at 5:30 p. m., and comes via the Western and Atlantic reaching Marietta at 9:68 p. m., and arriving at Atlanta at 9:50 p. m., 1etwing Atlanta on the Central railroad at 10 p. m., it arrives at Macon at 1:15 a. m., and reaches Waycross at 9:47 a. m. Here close connection is made for Jacksonville close connection is made with the trains for Tampa and the intimediate points. The proposel run is the quickest ever before attempted between Cincinnati and Atlanta. The distance is accomplished in thirteen hours and fify-five minutes. From Cincinnati to Macon the distance is made in seventeen hours and twenty minutes. The distance from Cincinnati to Jacksonville is made in twenty-fifth hours and five minutes. This is an arrangement long contemplated by Mr. Joseph M. Brown, the general passenger sgont of the Western Atlantic, this time is bound to transport nine-tenths of the passengers from Cincinnati and points further west to Florida. It is the shortest reute, and the service is the best in the south. It is expected that during the remainder of the winter thousands of people from the west will pass through Atlanta on their way to the "land of flowers."

Gent's Embroidery \$12.50. Slippers at 75 cents pair at Ryan's Sons 10, at the sweeping price of \$5. tomorrow and next week.

A NOTED CHARACTER.

Spandauel, Who Aided in Convicting Mrs

Surratt, in an Uncaviable Role. BALTIMORE, Md., December 17 .- Severa BALTIMORE, Md., December 17.—Soveral months ago Benjaman Spandauer, who was one of the most important agents in procuring the conviction of Mrs. Mary Surratt in 165 fer perticipation in the conspiracy resulting in the assassination of President Lincoln, was errested for alleged conspiracy in a noted divorce case here. He was indicted for alleged manufacturing of testimony. The suit was that of Mrs. Jol a ma Jansen against her husband. Judge Fisher decided the case in the wife's favor and awarled her alimony. In his decision the judge said he believed the evid • ce submitted by her husband, for whom Syandauer was a leading witness, was a tissue of falsehoods was a leading witness, was a tissue of faisehoods from beginning to end. Spandauer was released on bail, and today his case came up, and State's At-torney Kerr entered a nolle pros in the case o John Jansen, the husband, who was indicted with Span-Jansen, the husband, who was indicted with Spandauer, and also the latter. The divorce suit hasbeen finally settled. The state's attorney was of the opinion that the evidence in the care was not sufficient to warrent going to trial. Spandauer had several times before been arrested on similar charges. At the trial of Mrs. Mary Surratt, in May and June, 1.65, Spandauer and Luis J. Welchman—the latter's evidence being corroborative—testified that Mrs. Surratt, who kept a boarding house, at which Wilkes Booth, Harold, Spangler and others met, had been frequently in the room where the conferences of the conspirators were held, and hus connected her with the plot. This was the evidence that convicted her.

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For a number of year: succeeding the war Spandauer and Welchman were lost sight of. Nothing more was heard of the latter until his death in Philadelphia, in great d stitution, three years ago, Spandauer appeared in Baltimore about four years ago, and first loomed up to public notice again by persuacing Heinrich Muhla, a German, that the persuacing Heinrich Muhla, a German, that the latter was one of ten heirs to an estate in Germany or England, valued at \$3.00,000, and agreed to collect Muhla's share for ; e centage. Muhla alvanced him \$100, and Spandauer in all obtained about \$1.500 from him. When Muhla found that the estate was a myth he had Spandauer arrested, and he was sent to prison for the years. Spandauer is an old man now, and not likely to figure before the public centre.

If you want to see Dolls and Toys by the million, go to Ryan's Sons tomorrow.

Where He Had Her.

From Puck.
"Bobby," said his mamma, "I hear that you have

After a brief contemplative silence over the mouse business Bobby inquired:
"Well, did the little mouse 227 which was the
worst to do—use bad words or tell wrong storics?"

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Chamber Suits In Walnut, In Oak, In Cherry, In Mahogany,

Buffets

New Double-Width Velvet New Window Shades,

In Oak, In Walnut, . In Cherry, In Maple.

New Linoleum

Pedestals,

With Cabinet Tops.

Couches in Cane, Plush and Leather; Commodes, Blacking Cases, Foot Stools, Baby Carriages, Rattan Cradles and Cribs, Clove-Leaf Tables, Library Tables. New Silk Curtains, And Oil Cloths, New Lace Curtains, New Rugs, New Fringes, New Upholstery Goods

With Glass Fronts,

And new devices

Round Chairs, Square Chairs,

Cherry Chairs,

Mahogany Chairs

For hanging and Storage of Apparel.

Leather Chairs, Plush Chairs,

Armoirs in Walnut,

Oak and Cherry,

And Tapestry Carpets, Newest European Curtains, We are thoroughly fortified to provide our customers with creature comforts against the cold and biting winter; and while all may be cheerless without, we can make you cheerful within. There is one, and only one, weak spot about our fortification. It is vulnerable, it is true, but only by one weapon, a certain subtle, invidious weapon which moves always, sometimes slowly, sometimes quickly, and without which no enterprise, whether public or private, stands a ghost of a chance at success.

For the possession of this weapon, we will give up our fortification and make a full, free, entire surrender, reserving only one condition, that of an honest, upright character. It is money that is the tap root.



12 Whitehall Street, With thanks to the public for the splendid business of the past week, we make our announcement for this week. Recognizing the fact that our tremendous business last week was due to the splendid array of Bargains we put on our counters, we have prepared for this week the most tempting array of Bargains ever offered to the Atlanta Public.

and \$20, at \$6.50, \$7.50, \$10 and

\$15, 17.50 and 20.00, at 12.50.

CHILDREN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING. The past week has been the heaviest we have ever had in Boys' and Children's Goods. This week we propose to beat our own record, and parties wanting Children's Clothing will save fifty per cent by seeing our goods before buying.

HOLIDAY GOODS, HOLIDAY GOODS

The loveliest stock of Silk Kerchiefs and Mufflers, Ties, Silk Suspenders, etc., to be found in the city. This week we make special low prices on gold and silver headed Silk and Gloria Umbrellas.

This we are determined to make our banner week, and we will positively surprise you with the beautiful and splendid bargains we have. Come to see.

> FETZER & PHARR, 12 WHITEHALL STREET,

CLOTHIERS, HATTERS AND FURNISHERS.

CAUGHT ON THE FLY.

Frank Jones was thrown from a buggy yes-erday afternoon, on Mitchell street, and severely nurt by the fall. James Bonner, an old negro man, died sud-enly at his home on Ivy street, yesterday morn-ng. His death was due to heart disease.

The mysterious death of Mrs. Dorsey, an account of which appeared in yesterday's Conststu-tion, was the result of heart trouble. There was a small fire in the Seals seminary laundry, on Mitchell street, yesterday morning, caused by the carelessness of a servant. Prompt work prevented a serious conflagration.

The Young Woman's Christian Temperance unfou will meet on Taursday evening next in Smillie seminary, to make the necessary arrangements for a New Year reception to the members of the Young Men's Prohibition club. Whatever the union undertakes they carry out with celat. In he union there is not only strength, but beauty and grace.

Ryans' Sons.

1,000 pairs of new style Slippers, at

FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS At greatly reduced prices, Mufflers in silk, large assortment,

Mufflers in cass, every style, Handkerchiefs in colored white silk, Hdkfs. in plain and fancy linen, Gloves in kid fur top and cass, Umbrellas in silk and gloria, Umbrellas, gold and silver handles, Scarfs in great variety, Snirts in plain and pleated bosoms, Shirts in embroidered bosoms, At A. & S. Rosenfeld, 24 Whitehall

sun,thu,sat Not So Ruined as It Might Be.

Street, corner Alabama.

From the Judge.

Sister Emily—Why are you so dejected, Paul?
Young min ster—My life work is rained. The board has decided that my opinions debar me from being sent to th3 heathen.

Emily—Cheer up. Do your work in the city here. It is pleasanter to eat at home than to te

GEORGIA RAILROAD COMPANY,
OFFICE GEN'L MANAGER,
AUGUSTA, GA., Sept. 17th 1857.]
Commencing Sunday, 18th instant, the following
assenger schedule will be operated:
45-Trains run by 90th meridian time. No. 27 WEST-DAILY. No. 28 EAST-DAILY. DAY PASSENGER TRAINS.

No. 2 EAST—DAILY. | No. 1 WEST—DAILY. NIGHT EXPRESS AND MAIL.
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Overcoats, worth \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and from the following stations only: Grovetown, Harlem, Dearing, Thompson, Norwood, Barnett, Crawfordylle, Union Foint, Greensboro, Madison, Rutledge, Social Circle, Covington, Conyers, Lithonia, Stone Mountain and Decatur. This train makes close connection for all points ceast, southeast, west, southerst, north and northwest.

Train No. 27 will stop and receive pa scngers to and from the following stations only: Grovetown, Harlem, Dearing, Thompson, Norwood, Barnett, Crawfordylle, Union Foint, Greensboro, Madison, Rutledge, Social Circle, Covington, Conyers, Lithonia, Stone Mountain and Decatur. This train makes close connection for all points ceast, southeast, west, southwest, north and northwest.

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"Griffin, "
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CHATTANOOGA, ROME & COLUMBUS

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nrpose," was suggested.
"Oh, no. A condenser of about 200 feet in dias

eter will bring down something like 25,000,000 gal-lons a day, or as much as would irrigate almost half

of this state. The volume of water can be preserved or formed into rivers, whichever may be desired."

GOSSIP OF THE STREETS.

the people of Macon. It may be that the Bib

county authorities have some recollection of a cer-tain lynching which took place not a thousand miles from Macon in the year of our Lord eighteen

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o see in the removal of Woolfolk a reflection

smile, and made everybody about him happy.

A nine pound boy!
"Mrs. Robert E. and Robert E., Jr., are doing

The Henry-Harris-and-his-shirt-sleeves arti-

se the details of the story were 'nnlled" by the

in his office, and did not think, for the moment, that he wore no coat. After he had talked with Judge Newman and had finished his business, the

judge remarked to him in an undertone that it was

popinst the rules of the court for him to appear with

out a coat in the courtroom. "I was oblivious of being without my coat, and I ask the pardon of the

court," said Mr. Harris and that ended the convers

The ladies of the Woman's Christian ass

ciation ask the generous hearted people of Atlanta

to send in contributions of clothing, provisions and

supplies for the inmates of "The Home," on Mati-etta street. During the Christmas holidays, when everybody is feeling good, and providing for their

own children, do not forget the twenty-six helpless children at "The Home." Let their little hearts be made giad with a feast of good things, and an

bundant supply of warm raiment on Christmas

Here's a bow and congentulations to Ma

Harrison Grey Fiske on the strength of the Christ-mas number of the New York Mirror. It comes this

year in beautiful attire and full of bright stories and sketches from the pens of people whose mission it is to instruct and to please, either upon the stage or in

the more modest profession of journalism. The au

the more modest profession of journalism. The au-tograph signatures are, in the language of the show-man, "alone worth double the price of admission," and then you have pretty pictures of pretty ac-tresses, good portraits of sturdy actors, and above all, the sketches, stories and reminiscences, many of which are delicious. A list of the contributors would occupy a good deal more space than can be spaced but among them are Nym Cripkle. Joe How-

pared, but among them are Nym Crinkle, Joe How

ard, Jr., Ella Wheeler Wilcox, Henry Irving, Dior Boucicault, Fred Warde, Marie Wainwright, Scot Marble and a host of others. It is a perfect gem.

The Cracker's Return.

The Georgia Cracker has been resuscitated

nd the first number of what is a really credit-

able sheet was issued yesterday. In some respects this first number is crude and bears

evidences of hasty preparation; but in others it is excellent. The cuts are of the Atlanta

Engraving company's best and as they are printed on good book paper they show to ad-

vantage. The title page contains an excellent

through this first number are some comic and

humorous sketches which are up to the stand-

The Cracker contains some sprightly reading

matter and seems to be carefully edited. It

will hereafter appear regularly once a week

and will doubtless improve with each issue. It is published by Messrs. Ildo and Josh Rams-

dell and many of the cuts bear the ear marks

of Mr. Frank L. Henny, a young artist whose work is well known. Mr. W. B. Baldwin is

The Cracker will appear each Saturday. If its success is as marked as THE CONSTITUTION

There are men in Atlanta who carry a help-

less arm at their sides as the result of acting as

A metallic casket weighs about 500 pounds-

with a man's body enclosed over 600 pounds. The handles by which the casket is carried are

Pall bearers, as a rule, are men of sedentar

life, and unaccustomed to lifting heavy weights.

By carrying unevenly the larger weight of the

coffin is often thrown on one man. He will

not drop it, and the result is, an arm permanently sprained. It is notorious that two or

three pall bearers at each funeral suffered from the effects of it, for days afterward.

What should be done is this: Every under

taker should have four trained men, to carry

the coffin. These could do it easily and with

out the delay incident to the present method.

The pall bearers, wearing badges and crape could follow the coffin walking, as testimony

of their love for the deceased and sympathy

or the family. The change might be a shock

jat first, but the undertaker who inaugurate

ENOUGH FOR TODAY.

seven girls. When seven girls get after a man he may as well abandon all hope.

Texas continues to collect a tax from drum-mers, notwithstanding the decision of a federal court that such a tax is unconstitutional.

trampled upon by a herd of cattle the other day. A sort of Moses among the bull rushes, as it were.

Stranger—Best whisky, please.
Burtender—This is a prohibition town.
"Beg pardon. Gimme four tablespoonful of

Ex-Secretary Holcombe, of the American

legation at Pekin, says that out of the 400,000,000 in-habitants of the Chinese empire, fully 300,000,000 spend less than \$1.50 a month for food.

An Auburn miss of three summers saw a fu-

neral procession the other day and earnestly asked her mother if the man on top of the hearse was the

one who killed the people he carried away inside

several of the eggs.

A man who has just been released from the

Nebraska state prison has sucd the lawyer who defended him in the trial that resulted in his conviction for \$30,000 damages. He claims that the conviction was the result of the lawyer's malpractice.

Lightning struck a basket of eggs in a farm-

the new custom will prevail at last.

awkwardly placed and cruel to the hand.

pall bearer at the funeral of a friend.

hopes it may be, the Cracker is here to stay.

ard of Puck, Life and Judge.

business manager.

ess of Governor Gorden, and scattered

Wainwright, Scott

Contributions can be sent to "The Home."

tion, Mr. Harris returning to his work.

hundred and eighty-six.

Residents and ex-residents of Macon profess

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ATLANTA, GA., DECEMBER 18, 1887.

Room for Santa Claus. The spirit of Christmas is abroad in or columns this morning. It is a buoyant spirit, though an elusive one, and it stretches the canvass in the old Constitution ship until she runs before the wind under full sail.

That is all right. We are ready to give twenty pages to Christmas any time. We only hope that every stocking that is hung above the hearthstone in Georgia next Saturday night-whether from cherry mantel or pine-will be as well filled as THE CON-STITUTION is this morning. If they are not our merchants cannot be blamed. Their stores are full this season as they have never been before, and eager competition has brought prices down to amazing figures. The columns of THE CONSTITUTION may be studied to profit this morning, and in the meantime we wish for purchasers plenty of money; for merchants plenty of profit, and, for everybody, plenty of Christmas!

WITH Uncle Jimmy Boyle and Editor Murat Halstead both in New York we should t ink that the wild west ought to be satis.

Why Not Build Those Car Works. Suppose we do go to work and build the car works?

There is no industry so needed here, none that would pay so well. With eight railroads centering here, and three more building, two or three car works would find all the work they could do. In freights alone they would save from \$50 to \$70 a car. Lumber is cheap here and abundant. Coal and iron are but a fraction higher than at Birmingham. Labor is at hand of the very

Stock in the car works will pay directly as an investment, indirectly as the beginning of a new series of manufacturing enterprises. But \$50,000 is needed. Over half this amount is already subscribed. Let us get up the balance and start work! Who will be the first to come to the front?

THE republicans who met in New York the other day are not anti-saloon republi-

High License and Restriction.

When the Collier ordinance, with \$1,500 license and restriction of bar-rooms to the centre of the city, passed the council by a unanimous vote, it was hoped this reasonable compromise would stand. The fact that such "antis" as Angier, Allen, Tanner, and Greene voted for it justified this hope

The tranquillity brought about by this settlement of the license question is disturbed by the rumor that the incoming council will upset it and pass a new bill. This bill is to lower the license and remove the territorial restriction. Instead of \$1,500 fee as provided at present, \$1,000 or less will be inserted. Instead of the compact and strictly business territory included in the limita-tions of the Collier bill, the words "business portions of business streets" will be Inserted. The elasticity of this expression is apparent on its face.

It is the part of wisdom, in our opinion, to leave the license bill just where it is. It is well known that Alderman Collier's preference was \$2,000 license. The prohibitionists in the council were solid on this figure. They yielded to the reduction to \$1,500 in order that a unanimous vote might be secured and the matter finally adjusted. If the anti-prohibition leaders yield to a demand for lower license now (after their own representatives in council have agreed on the present bill), they will find a demand for still lower license and still less restriction coming up with every election, and less strength to withstan such demands. The matter had best be left just where it is!

WHEN the Virginia legislature instructs its senators and requests its representatives to vote for the repeal of the infamous internal revenue laws, it gives voice to the public

Seventeen years ago, Sam Spencer, a bright, wholesome, determined young fellow left the university of Georgia to make his

He went out without special advantages and with no influential backing. Civil engineering had been his favorite study and he adopted railroading as his profession. A few days ago he was elected president of the Baltimore and Ohio system with a tor, but it was found to be impracticable princely salary. That election ranks him with DePew, of the New York Central, King, of the Erie, and Roberts, of the Pennsylvania Central-one of our four great rail-

Of the hundreds of bright men sent out by the university since the war, he has reached the highest distinction. His life teaches two lessons.

First—That a man should choose his pro-fession and stick to it. While other young graduates were conspicuous in legislative halls, courts or sanctums, Spencer was lost sight of. During those years he was living with his family above the depot at a station on the B. & O. road, at a salary of \$75 a month, studying the practical details of his profession. From his chosen course he has never been tempted one moment or one inch. To run railroads was his life work, and he considered nothing that did not serve its purpose. His success is the logical and well nigh invariable sequence of his plan. The man who chooses his work wisely, and stands by it in spite of all temptation, is bound to succeed.

Second-That the practical business professions offer better inducements to young men of education than such pursuits as the law, politics or journalism. Not until a politician becomes president of the United States can he draw such a salary as Mr. Spencer gets, and then he hardly exceeds it. Not three lawyers in the south perhaps have the equal of his imcome—and no journalist.

known and respected on two continents, and in council with three colleagues he can very nearly control the commerce of this continent. His life is pleasant. He has his summer cottage at Deer Park-is noted with the rod on the Potomac and Shenandoah; is a great horseman; is a connoisseur in art, and especially in etching and line engraving. In dignity, in profit, in enjoyment, and in the sense of power which thrills all wholesome men, his life is to be envied by men who, with as much talent and more labor and struggling, have fought their way in the professions to a \$5,000 salary, or an income that flits from that amount to twice as much.

As a Georgian we are proud of Mr. Spencer's success; as an old friend, we rejoice in it-but we are vastly more concerned in the healthful lessons it teaches!

THERE are a thousand and one rumors about what Mr Randall and Mr. Carlisle are going to do. Every Washington correspondent has a fresh batch for today and a fresh batch for tomorrow. The truth is that both Mr. Carlisle and Mr. Randall will do what they think is right.

The Odious Excise Taxes. A contemporary quotes Blackstone against the internal revenue system. This is what

the soundest of English lawyers said about excise taxes: The riger and arbitrary proceedings of excis laws seem hardly compatible with the temper of a free nation. For the frauds that might be committed in this branch of the revenue, unless watch is kept, make it necessary, wherever hed, to give the officers the power of entering nd searching the houses of such as deal in exci-

de commodities at any hopr of the day, and, in any cases, of the night likewise. And the proceedings in case of transgression are summary and However, its "original establishment was in 1843, nd its progress was graduil, both sides protesting that it slould continue no longer than to the end of that it is o and then be uticity abolished. \* \* \*
But from its first origin to the present time its very name has leen edicate to the people of England." It has been kept up, however, to supply the enormous sums necessary to carry on the continental wars of

If excise laws are odious in England, what shall we say of them in this country? The whole system is opposed to the spirit of our free institutions. During war times our people submitted to war measures, but in a time of unbroken peace there is no excuse for their perpetuation.

It is monstrous under a free government to collect a tax by methods which involve bloodshed, destroy homes and devastate large tracts of territory. It is an outrage to collect a tax by violence. Under this system a standing army is employed to raid the rural districts, and spies and informers are maintained to make the business lively.

What Blackstone said of this system in England applies with still greater force to this country. We must get rid of this infamous law. It would have suited the age of the Inquisition, but it does not suit this

THE New York Tribune evidently believes that Brother Blaine will be the president of South America next year.

High License in Philadelphia. Philadelphia has a new license law, and t promises to work well.

To do a retail liquor business in that city a license fee of \$3,500 is required, and each dealer has to secure two bondsmen who become responsible to the extent of \$2,000 each for the payment of all fines and penalties levied on the proprietor of the saloon for any violation of the laws governing the sale of liquors. There are now about 6,000 saloons in Philadelphia whose licenses were obtained for the year. In just two weeks these licenses expire, and, so far, only 350 renewals have been made for the next year.

It is not necessary to await a trial of the new system to be satisfied that it will be far preferable to the present indiscriminate distribution of barrooms. It is probable that year will not exceed 600, or one-tenth of the number issued this year. The regulation of the trade has been made very strict, and if the new law is enforced the question of prohibition will be forever settled in Philadel-

THE Hon. Jimmy Boyle, of the Cincin nati Commercial Gazette, remarked in New York, the other day, that Mr. Cleveland's goose is cooked. This means that the dem ocrats will have plenty to eat and some to

A Philadelphia Humbug.

The stockholders of the Keely Motor company ought to be run down by newspaper reporters and interviewed. one ought to be made to tell in his own language the story of his life, and then each one should be conducted to the asylum. These stockholders are still impressed with the idea that the motor will mote, and they are still ready to subscribe more money to enable Keely to nurse his humbug.

The report made by Mr. Keely is very interesting indeed. He reviews his experiments as far back as 1882. In that year he was engaged in the construction of his etheric generator. He completed the generaowing to the impossibility of securing graduation. In March, 1885, Keely produced what he called a "liberator," which could be operated in conjunction with his "generator." In this report, this interesting man describes the liberator as a great stride in anything accomplished hitherto; but since nothing had been accomplished hitherto, the "great stride" has not materializ-

ed, rather it has been vaporized. Just about this time, Mr. Keely, according to his report, made a new and important discovery, which will enable him to dispense with both his generator and liberator. Hereafter, his experiments will be conducted without either the "vaporic" or "etheric" forces, which have played such an important part in his exhibitions. He does not know by what name to call his newly discovered force, but it is probable that "humbug" would cause the new invention to smell as

As to the practical outcome of his work, Mr. Keely could make no promises, but he had no doubt that his new force, which is neither vaporic nor etheric, would enable him to drive the largest as well as the smallest engines. Mr. Keely declares that it would have been better if he had announced when he changed the nature of his experiments. He says, however, that all's well that ends well, and in this business he has his stockholders somewhat on the hip—and a

very large and tough hip it is. the equal of his imcome—and no journalist.

Mr. Keely is now engaged in constructing.

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A "sympathetic engine" of a very delicate

nature, and when he gets it completed he will be able show the idiots who believe in him something worth seeing. All of which goes to show that human nature is the same

To Every State Its Right. Out of the contested election case of Sen ator Turple, of Indiana, arises the question as to the right of the senate to go behind the legislative returns in the election of a

Mr. Turple holds his seat in the senate by election by the legislature, and his credentials bear every required evidence of his just title to the position. It is alleged that two of the members who voted for him were ineligible to seats in the legislature. and that as he could not have been elected without these votes, that he is not a legally constituted senator. Several republican senators hold that that body has the right to inquire into the claims of every member of a legislature to his seat when the ques tion of the action of such a legislature effects the membership of the senate.

The constitution of every state makes each house of the legislature the absolute judge of the qualification of every member to his seat. When this is done and the verdict of a legislature, properly attested as required by the constitution of the United States, has been sent to the senate, that body has nothing to do but to recognize the senator so elected.

It has happened that there have been conflicting legislatures in some states. In this instance the senate would have the right to decide which of the two it should recognize; but where a legislature of unquestioned authority passes upon its own membership no power has the right to inquire into its decision in the matter.

As to Mr. Turpie's case there is no question as to his being entitled to his seat, nor is there any doubt as to his holding it, though Mr. Bill Chandler, of electoral fraud fame, and a few of his brother robbers would be delighted to turn him out. No contestant has ever presented his claims against Mr. Turpie, ex-Senator Harrison, the defeated republican candidate, admitting the fairness of his defeat by refusing to undertake a foolish contest.

The Cincinnati Commercial Gazette thinks that the senate has the undoubted authority to exercise the right of inquiring into the qualification of legislative members. It says:

'The value of the precedent for the future may prove of momentous importance. Then, whenever ongress is again republican, the nullification, riot in the south, will be over "Whenever congress is again republican"

that's good. EDITORIAL POSTSCRIPT,

Tom Woolfolk will eat his Christm dinner in Atlanta, this year. Next year -MRS. CLEVELAND VERY sensibly declines to receive presents from strangers. Mrs. Cleve-

nd is always sensible. IT WILL SURPRISE many people to learn that W. D. Howells says that it is hard work for him to write his novels. WHEN EDITOR DORSHEIMER turns himself locse in the New York Star, the whole country feels like it is "personally conducted."

THE LONDON TIMES has dropped into lying The Times should join the republican party and apply its Irish arguments to the south. "Congress nust act!" exclaims the Buffalo Courier. Does this mean that congress proposes to join John Templeton's variety

THE NEWSPAPERS CONTINUE to air the difficulties of the American opera company. The trouble seems to be that the American opera ompany cannot operate. TEXAS BAILROADS ARE carrying people out

of the state at a much lower rate than they

charge for taking them into it. This is a good thing for some of our Georgia friends over WHEN SENATOR EVARTS shook hands with two colored republicans in New York the other day, there was tremendous applause in the

GENERAL FRANK HATTON is making a very readable paper out of his New York Press. It is a very rank republican paper, and in that respect differs from the majority of its contem-

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE.

Pope Leo's Jubilee. Editors Constitution: When will the ope's jubile; take place, and what will it commemnate?

J. T. G. The ruling pope, Lee XIII., was ordained a priest on December 31st, 1837. The semi-centennial, or go den anniversary of this event, will be celebrated in Rome on next New Year's eve. Presents have been pouring in for months. Every Catholic ruler sends some magnificent offering, and gifts have been eceived from every country in the world. Practical America sends as her gift Peter's pence. The value of the presents already received is over \$6,000 000. These presents will be on exhibition at the Plazza Della Pigna in the gardens of the vatican. Jubilee mass will be celebrated on December 31, in the presence of the value of the presence of the pres pope will receive an of the center at, in the presence of a few select dignitaries. On January 1st the pope will receive in audience all the cardinals, nobles and other great men present, on January 6th the exposition of gifts will be opened to the public, and on January 15th will occur the grand ceremony of the canonization of five new saints. Pilgrims from all over the world will attend the jubilee, five hundred being expected to arrive from America. ired being expected to arrive from America.

A Scrap of Verse.

EDITORS CONSTITUTION: Please print the collowing lines:

"Between two worlds life hovers like a star,
"Twixt night and morn, upon the horizon's serge;
How little do we know that which we are!
How less what we may be! The eternal serge
Of time and tide rolls on and bears afar,
Our bubbles; as the old burst, new merge,
La-bed from the foam of ages; while the graves
Of-empire heave but live some passing waves."
I have them pasted in my scrap book, and wish
to know the author's name,
They were written by Lord Byron.

HOW TO MAKE IT BAIN AT PLEASURE. Artificial Electricity Arranged to Produce

From the San Francisco Chronicle.

The remarkable powers and adaptability of the electric current to the uses of society have been auther demonstrated by an invention which has at least the charm of novelty. This is nothing more nor less than a patent coopen the windows of heaven at the will of man, and Michael Cahill, M.D., of this city is the inventor.

"I expect to see the sagebrush deserts of Nebraska and Nevada under cultivation and affording pasturage for thousands of cattle in a few years," began the doctor. "Should the government adopt my patent, by its use there need not be an acre of waste land on the whole continent."
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water forced to the ground with great rapidity. The rain will be produced by the same law that causes condensation on a window pane. These face of the BELLE MEADE.

glass is covered with microscopic points, and on be-coming chilled, the layer of air next it falls, allow-ing the vapor to flow on to the points, and thence A Visit to the Great Stock Farm of General Harding. "You will require a gigantic balloon for such a

THE HOME OF THE FAMOUS IROQUOIS,

The Derby Winner-General W. H. Jackson 5 Gives His Views on Farming-State ments Likely to Provoke Criticism.

BELLE MEADE, Tenn., December 17 .- [Staff spondence.]—Royal acres are those which up the celebrated Belle Meade farm. And sacred must its stables be to the horse nan, for they shelter the only American horse which ever crossed the ocean in quest of con-quest and carried off the honors of the Derby. This feat of the spirited Iroquois makes him

the historic stallion of the country. The old house is still standing which was One of the social clubs of young people has a quite claborate programme for one day of Christmas week. The festivities will begin with a five o'clock tea. After this the club will attend the erected by John Harding over one hundred years ago. In this house William G. Harding was born in 1808. At the time Nashville was but a straggling village, and the Indians from theater in a body, and at the conclusion of the per-formance will repair to a convenient ball room. A late supper will be one of the attractions. The the surrounding country made frequent trips thereto for trade, it was their custom to stop at the house of John Harding as they passed, guests will probably reach their respective homes by breakfast time, but then, you know, Christmas comes but once"—. Ting! Ting!! and by him they were always welcomed is the farm upon which the Hardings, father and son, lived all their lives, and upon which If there was a happy man in Atlanta yester-day it was "Bob" R ley. He went about like a regu-lation Christmast, I've-got-a-stocking full-of-candy they accumulated a fortune. By purchases the limits of the farm were continually increased until, at the death of William G. Harding, about a year ago, it embraced 4,000 acres, to which 1,300 acres have since been nicely, thank you," was the happy papa's greeting to all his friends, and he was kept busy. added by his heirs.

AMERICA'S GREAT HORSE BREEDER. William G. Harding was given a thorough ducation, and returning home, at once began ele in yesterday's Constitution created a good deal of fun about the federal building yesterday. Of the life of a farmer. He was a great lover of the chase, and this passion made him fond of reporter. The facts are that Mr. Harris went to the courtroom to see Judge Newman upon a matter of private business. Mr. Harris had been hard at work horses and of dogs. From this predeliction it was easy to predict his future calling. He became interested in live stock generally, but the blood horse in particular became his specialty. A singular circumstance forced him into the continued enlargement of the business which became to him a pleasure. He was the owner of 125 slaves. An opponent of the system, fearful of its horrors, he determined to keep his slaves together so that they might be continually under his own supervision. Cheaper lands were to be had in the west, and larger returns, but that meant over-

seers, and General Harding would never put his slaves under hands by which they might possibly be mistreated. As his slaves increased, therefore, he was compelled to enlarge his farm, so that he might give them employment. He never bought but one slave, and sold but one—who had killed his brother, and of whom the rest of the family was afraid. Charles Sumner is said to have complimented General Harding upon the management of his slaves, and to have declared that if all masters were like Harding, he would have to revise his

opinion of slavery.

The fame of Harding's horses spread abroad, and he became a recognized authority on the turf. His stables were always filled with winners of the fastest records; and his annual sales were attended by horse-fanciers from all parts of the union, who often paid what seemed to be fabulous prices for a favorite strain. The crowning triumph of his career on the turf was when the celebrated Iroquois bore off the Derby.

Notwithstanding his long career on the turf. and that he was so often the owner of the win2 ning horse, he never gambled upon the result. In early life he had formed the resolution never to bet. When taunted for his inconsistency in being opposed to gambling and still remaining a patron of the turf, he replied:

"Without the race course the world would never have known of the great powers of Lexington, the horse that has contributed more to the improvement of his race than any of his predecessors. I am aware of the prejudices existing against the race course by religionists, generally on account of its immoral tendency. That these prejudices are not altogether groundless, I admit; but that the immoralities of a well regulated race course are greatly magnified by those who know least of its operations. I am perfectly satisfied : that it may be still further improved, I earnestly desire. For one, I advocate his preservation, and at the same time call upon the moralists to unite with me in the effort to remove all objectionable features that may attach to the institution so necessary to his development."

"Once," said he, "I felt a tren me as I realized the power of temptation." He had entered his favorite mare Gamma against the celebrated horse Wagner. The owner of Wagner said to him: "Of course, general, you propose to back your entry. I will give you a better bet than any one else would be likely to do. I offer you ten thous-and dollars against one thousand." "I had the one thousand. I had a special use for the ten thousand at that very time. I had full confidence that Gamma would win. Feeling the force of the temptation, under excitement, to violate a purpose I had deliberately formed to guide my life, I turned away, walked a short distance, turned the question of gain and prin-ciple over in my mind, and turned back and eclined the bet. Gamma won, but I was then and ever after, more gratified at my victory over the temptation to bet than of my favorite's splendid triumph over the most celebrated racer of the day."

THE BELLE MEADE OF TO-DAY.

General W. H. Jackson and Judge Howell E. Jackson married daughters of General Har-ding, and have thus passed into possession of the splendid estate, which is now under the business management of General W. H. Jackson. A talk with General Jackson elicited much interesting information, and gives some idea of the extent of the farm.

"We have now," said he, "5,300 acres under An Indiana editor has been horsewhipped by fence. Every cent of money made on the farm since 1883 has been put back on to it. An agriculturist should never contemplate the sale of his possessions, but should always work for an increase. We have completed twenty miles of stone fencing at a cost of one dollar a "While the lamp holds out to burn, the vilest sinner may return," as Mrs. Brownjug remarked as she left a fight burning for her absent lord. yard. Of course, if we contemplated sale, we could not get that money back. The home and its surroundings have a value to the fam-Moses Graham, of Texas, was run down and ily which is settled there, such as it can have to no one else, and the true farmer must not count his labor by what he can get for it in market but rather by its added pleasures to home and home life. I have been in charge of the estate since 1870. We have added eighty brood mares since and seven thoroughbred stallions, at a cost of \$65,000. The farm is carried on precisely as it was before the war. The house servants and the farming force are either the old negroes or their descendants. This is the only thoroughly preserved southern home of the old style.

"The system under which we work is essen tially military. The farm is divided into de-partments, each with its responsible head. There are the departments of blood stock, beef rard near Meriden, Miss., not long ago, and a man who witnessed the descent of the electric fluid solemnly declares that it hatched out chickens from cattle, sheep, hogs, Shetland ponies, fruit and the agricultural. These department chiefs employ and discharge whom they please. The rank and file account to their chiefs, and the chiefs report to me. I learned in the army that where the subordinate officers were in place and did their duty, the men were all right.

"There is a strict system of bookkeeping Every animal is entered, and its history kept, so that its exact cost, and the profit or leas therein, may be known on any given day. There is a record kept of the rainfall, the snow, meteorological changes, etc. All this goes to show that of all occupations successful farming and stock raising requires greater breadth of judgment, closer attention to business. farming and stock raising requires greater breadth of judgment, closer attention to business, and more energy and care than any

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"General, what is your idea of the means which should be taken to make small farmers

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"The first great essential for your Georgia farmer is rotation of crops, with red clover as the great renovator. Let the man enter agriculture who has the ambition to own the largest number of acres he can manage. Let the man that cultivates cotton be certain to put as many acres in clover as he does in cot-When cotton has been grown for two years on the same field then replace it with clover. Let him have a corresponding number of acres of corn, and raise all he consumes, In this lies the secret of the success of south-ern farming. Let him carry just as much stock as his grass and corn can feed. Then let him sell something of everything he makes."

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The Picayune is indebted to the Southern Brewing company for a keg of its very excellent beer.—New Orleans Picayune.
Winter is here, and those who promised to bring us a load of wood may do so without delay. We

will have no use for it next summer. - Daingerfield, (Tex.) Tidings Because we have not for the last few weeks an-noyed our delinquent subscribers with duns through our columns, we do not want them to think for a

moment that we have quit needing the amount they owe us. No, sir. We want it just as had as ever, and don't you forget it. Christmas is almost here, and we will have to get the old woman and the children dresses, shoes, hats, wraps, etc.—Gregg County, (Tex.) Clarion. To those who have promise I us wood on subscrip-

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From the Memphis Avalanche.

The Associated Press sends a tearful account of the scene in the court room when Fidelity Bank. Harper was sentenced. Everybody except the judge seems to have melted with pity for the prismer. The pathetic color of the picture is overshadowed, however, by the fact that Harper is not only a convicted thief, but a shameless proligate to boot. "The juross wept," did they? Well, it's dol-lars to cents that, if they had just convicted a poor devil of a clerk for embezzling a few hundreds, they would have walked out jauntily with the soothing consciousness of dux nobly done. consciousness of duty nebly done.

Fire Insurance?

From Truth.

An old friend to a disconsolate widow: "I hope your good husband was well prepared to leave so." The widow, sobbing violently: "Prepared? I should think he was. He was insured in six com-

A Warning Before his Eyes.

President Sadi-Carnot has one son-in-law and with three marriageable daughters, a prospect of three more. President Carnot should look at Grevy, and beware.

A Point Well Taken.

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Judge James T. Nisbet was seen at his residence, 183 Capitol avenue, last night by a representative of THE CONSTITUTION, and interrogated as to the truth of the rumors circulated in Macon that Woolfolk had confessed

Judge Nisbet said in reply: "You can state that there is not a word of truth in it. What Thomas G. Woolfolk said to me (I saw him but three times) I treated as the confidential communication of a client to his attorney, al-

From Carp to Cotton. The finest agricultural magazine ever issued will be the January edition of "The Southern Farm," which will be out January 4th. Dr. W. L. Jones is editor of the "Farm" and Mr. H. W. Grady has editorial direction. The table of contents embraces a score of the most distinguished names in southern agriculture. The magazine will have overfifty pages of articles, covering every farm industry from

An immense edition will be printed, and the book will have such permanent value that it will be kept for years. Advertisers who wish to reach the farmers of the south will find it the best opportunity ever offered. Advertisements must be filed at once to insure insertion. The publishers cannot print more than sixty pages. These will be rapidly taken. Address John R. Wilkinson, or Charles S. Johnson, 374 Broad street.

MR. F. L. FREYER,

One of Our Large Piano Dealers. It is gratifying to us to notice the unprece-dented success of this old and trustworthy firm. Mr. Freyer has been here for a number of years, and by correct dealings with the people, has built up a name that few houses of similar nature bears. He deals in the very best instruments and has the most skilfed men in his employ. You will be convinced of this fact when you examine the long list of reliable men who have purchased instruments from him.

Have Mauck paper your rooms

Beautiful line Gents' Mufflers. nic for a Xmas Present. Hughes & Law.

Washed Three Times, But Still it Smells, Is what Miss E. A. McCrorey, of Gladden's grove, B. C., says of Taylor's Premium Cologne that she used on her handkerchief. Buy a bottle for a Ciristmas present. It is never sold in bulk.

NOT A CANDIDATE FOR ANY OFFICE. That is Colonel John Goodwin's Platforn

Some rumor manufacturer sprung one yes-terday which he must have thought a "dandy." It was to the effect that Colonel John Good-win, late leader of the anti forces, would make the race for ordinary against Judge Lowndes

win, late leader of the anti forces, would make the race for ordinary against Judge Lowndes Calhoun.

Everybody knows that while Judge Calhoun did not take an active interest in the recent fight, he voted the anti ticket. This ought to have squelched the aforesaid rumor at its birth, but at 5 o'clock last night it was alive and kicking, and succeeded in finding here and there a stray believer.

"Why, no, no; of course not," was Colonel Goodwin's prempt reply to the abrupt question of The Constitution. "Did you come up here just to ask me that? Of course there's no truth in it. I had not heard the rumor before. Somebody seems bound to couple my name with different offices. It is only a few days since they had me a candidate for mayor. Now, I want to say one thing, and I want it distinctly understood. That is, that I am a candidate for no office, am out of politics, and have no political aspirations either for the present or for the near future. I hold an office now, and that is in the line of my profession, but I wouldn't turn my hand over to secure a re-election to that.

"No, I did not go into the recent campaign."

that.

"No, I did not go into the recent campaign with any idea of office. I went in it simply because I desired to see Atlanta's commercial prosperity restored, and because I wanted to see peace among her citizens. When you hear anybody coupling my name with any office, you may just set it down as the idlest kind of rumor."

Another rumor squelched.

Christmas Excursions. Macon, Atlanta and Rome to all points, including Lynchburg, Washington, Chattanooga, Cincinnati, Louisville, Nashville, Huntsville, Decatur, Mem Louisville, Nashville, Huntsville, Pecatur, Memphis, Selma, and to Brunswick, and all principal points on, or reached via the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railway, south of the Ohio and cast of the Mississippi rivers, via the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railway.

Round trip tickets will also be sold between all stations on line of East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia railway at orre fare. No round trip tickets at less than \$1. Children always half price.

December 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 29, 30, 31, and January 1 and 2. Only one fare for round trip. Tickets sold up to 26th good until January 3d. Tickets sold up to 26th good until January 3d. Tickets Sold pecember 29th to January 2d, good until January 5th, 1888. th, 1888-W. B. WRENN, Gen. Pass. Agt. Assistant Gen. Pass. Agt. su&wky

REV. HOWARD L. CRUMLEY.

Adopted by Park Street Church. At a meeting of the board of stewards of Park Street church, West End, held December 6th, street church, west and, held December out, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted, and they also received a unanimous vote of approval by the congregation on the following Sabbath: "Whereas, Our faithful and beloved pastor, Rev. Howard L. Crumley, after having served us for four years, is to be removed to some other field of labor for the advancement and glory of the kingdom of God.

for the advancement and glory of the kingdom of God,
Resolved, That while he has been pastor of this church he has served us faithfully and with great success, and through God's mercy his labors have been richly blessed in the building up of the church in the addition of many to our membership, the conversion of many souls, and the promoting of a spirit of harmony and brotherly love, and that we part with him with sincere regret.

Resolved, That his zeal for the Master, his unselfish devotion to the holy work to which he has been divinely called, command our highest esteem and confidence, and we unhesitatingly commend him to whatever people he may be appointed, and we carnestly pray that his labors may be abundantly blessed wherever he may go, and that he may live long and be the instrument in the hands of God in bringing thousands of souls to the standard of Christ.

Dolls, Toys of all descriptions at Ryan's Sons at about half what other houses ask for them.

SILK UMBRELLAS

Gold and Silver heads from \$2.50 to \$10.00; Call and see them. Hughes & Law.

[Communicated.]

DEAR SIR: If I have written anything

but three times I treated as the confidential communication of a client to his attorney, although I declined for sufficient reasons to represent him. I have never repeated what he said to me. But I think it proper now to say that in all the interviews I had with him he stoutly protested his innocence." The judge further said: "I was much surprised and annoyed to find that Woolfolk had been sent by the authorities to Fulton county jail for safe keeping. It seems to me to be a reflection upon the people of Bibb county, that they were so bloodthirsty that they would attempt to break into a jail and hang Woolfolk before he could have the benefit of an appeal to the supreme court. I think Woolfolk was as safe in Macon as in Atlanta. I know that there is no incre conservative and law-abiding a county than that of Bibb."

There is a good deal of gossip about the case among all classes of people, the general opinion being that a new trial will be granted.

Yesterday a distinguished legal gentleman remarked of the Woolfolk trial: "The very moment the crowd grew so noisy in their cries of 'Hang him,' in presence of the jury, Judge Gustin should have declared a mistrial."

Another eminent jurist said: "I think it as ad mistake to send Woolfolk to Atlanta for safe keeping. It is an imputation on the people of Macon that is unjust and uncalled for, and is an implied confession that passion controls judgment and justice."

From Carp to Cotton.

The first excival very the control of the law to the law to the law to the control of the law to the only gave probatory relief, and would not prove permanen.

When I saw your remedy advertised and so many testimonials in favor of it. I made up my mind to try one more time to get relief, and when I gave you my first order I made a trial of it. If small to do all claimed for it. So I resolved to keep up the treatm n, which I did, and I am happy to say, I feel better and stouter than in all the seven years I took morp! I to. I feel as a free man. I have no pains now, but when taking morphine I hand only temporary relief by the morphine, which was increased tenfold at almost every dose, and then but little relief. Now I am feeling happy sil the it me, and thankful that I am again a free man. Duar doct r, you are at liberty to use any parts of my letter you see fit. I only hope all who t is your remedy will use it as I did—for its benefits—and according to direction, and I know there will be no such thing as fail. You are at liberty to refer any one to me. I can but p ak well and favorable of your medicine. I am entirely free from the use of morphine or any other poisonous drug, and it was accomplished by your precious remedy. I have taken no morphine since I first took your remedy and used only one bottle of the last you sent me and have one on hand yet. I have no desire for morphine or your medicine. Long live Dr. Woolley to send his remedy to the end of the earth to every one affected by the 13 of morphine. Yours very respectfully.

Dr. B. M. WOOLLEY,

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Estey Organs, Estey Pianos, world reknowned, at prices to suit all purchasers. Nothing more elegant for a Christmas present. Estey Organ Co., Marieta and Broad sts.

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For Holiday Goods. They have hundreds of articles suitable for ladies, gents', children and servants.

THE LICENSE QUESTION.

How the New Council Will Stand-Mr, Me-

How the New Council Will Stand—Mr, Mecaslin and Mr. Amorous.

A curious story is afloat about the \$1,500 license in the city council.

It was understood, when that license was passed, that the new council would attempt to lower it. Councilman Mitchell, foreseeing this, insisted on the call for the yeas and nays, so as to put every councilman on record.

There are eight councilman on record are duction of the license and an enlargement of the territorial limit, and loosening up the restrictions generally. But these eight new members are not enough to reduce the license, it requiring nine votes.

It is said that just before the vote was taken a gentleman called for Alderman Mecaslin at the council door, and that he left the room. That the object of this was to prevent Mr. Mecaslin going on record as voting for the fifteen hundred dollar license, so that he would be left free to vote for the lower license which will be proposed at the January meeting. The saloon keepers undoubtedly expect a lower license to be ordered by the new council, for they are refusing to take out license at the present figures, preferring to wait two weeks rather than stand the fifteen hundred dollar pull.

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Alderman Mecaslin says:
"I did not dodge the vote. I have always been in favor of a thousand dollar license, and shall vote for that whenever chance offers. I do not believe in territorial restriction. I am in favor of barrooms in the business portions of business streets, no matter where the streets are."

are."
"Why did you leave the council on Tuesday

"Why did you leave the council on Tuesday evening?"

"I was called by a man who told me that my mule was very sick. I went down to look after the mule. I never dodged a vote in my life."

HOW THE NEW EIGHT STAND.

It is stated that the eight members elect of the council are for one-thousand dollar license, or less, and against territorial restriction. It was intimated that Councilman Amorous was in favor of the the fifteen hundred dollar license, and would vote to retain it at that figures, and that his vote would defeat the scheme to reduce it.

Mr. Amorous returned to the city last night. To a Constitution representative he said: "I would rather say nothing upon that subject until I become a councilman. I am only a private citizen now, you know. But I will say that in my opinion the people are not opposed to drinking as much as 'they are to drunkenness; and we must look to restriction, rather than to high license, to eradicate the evil. We might have a ten thousand dollar license and have more drunkenness than we would with a five hundred dollar license. Thorough restriction furnishes the solution of the problem. I believe in making the saloons close early, in strict enforcement of the 'minor' and 'drunkard' clauses and in granting licenses to responsible men only."

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It is safe to predict that the anti members of the new council will favor a license of \$1,000 closing the saloons as early as ten at night and restricting the saloons to business portions of

PERSONAL.

M. M. MAUCK, wall-paper and paint dealer PAPER hanger, house and sign painter G. H. TANNER, commissioner of deeds. buys and sells railroad tickets.

DR. B. M. WOOLLEY, opium and whisky habits treated. Office, 65% Whitehall street. Consultation free. HARRY LYNAN, ticket broker, 30 Wall street, WHISKY \$1.50 up. No charge f or jugs. J eph Wolff, Red store, opposite new East Tennessee passenger depot, Macon, Ga. su tf JOSEPH WOLFF, dealer in fine whisky. Jugs filled promptly. Red store, opposite new EastTennessee passenger depot, Macon, Ga.

DR. C. C. GREENE has removed his office from No. 25½ Penchtree street to No. 43½ Whitehall

sun wed fri MR. J. C. HENDRIX, real estate agent, has gone to Tullapoosa with a surveyor to plat and pre-pare for sale a large tract of land, to be known as pare for sale a large tract of land, to be known as the Murphey "Addition," to Tallapoosa. This solid booming town (and maybe the Kansas. City of the south) is attracting attention from invester, in all sections of the south; as evidenced from the prechases made and improvements ging on. With the Chattanooga, Rome and Columbus ridroad now, building, to intersect the Georgia Pacific at or near Tallapoosa, and the building of a branch road from Cave Springs or Pryor Station, on the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia, through Tallapoosa, to connect at LaFayette, A'abama, with the Opelika railroad, will give Tallapoosa two northern and two southern trunk line connections, with her present quarter than the connections. te Fast Anniston. Bimingham and Texas on the

ta, East Anniston, Diminguish and Texas of the west, in the very nature of her location must make Tallapoes an important center,

DR. DIVINE has returned, after a short visit to Mississippi.

MESSRS. E. H. & J. B. THORNTON, at 28
Whitehall street, have the most elegant line of hol-

iday goods in the city. Don't forget to call on them. THE Valley Mutual Life association, of Virrinia, has paid; with commendable promptness, through Messrs. Berkeley & Arnall, the popular managers of the southern department, the insurance Mr. Charles D. Horn in that company, amounting to five thousand dollars, as will be seen by receipt of beneficiary in another column.

A. J. West, of the firm of West & Goldsmith Atlanta Ga. has been in the city several

amith, Atlanta, Ga., has been in the city several days as the guest of his friend, Captain Roberts, of the Frierson Real Estate company. Colonel West is one of Atlanta's substantial citizens. H is aide de camp to Georgia's gallant governor, Mr. Gordon, and is also one of the owners of a large tract of valuable land in Chattanooga.—Chattanooga Commercial.

MESSES. J. W. AND J. B. WOOTEN, two Messrs. J. W. And J. B. Wooten, two prominent young capitalists of Cincinnail, after spending several weeks prospecting here, returned home last night to spend the holidays with relatives. They have decided to establish a two hundred and fifty thousand dollar plant for manufacturing beer, near the new barracks, on the Central railroad. These are gentlemen of wealth and postion and will greatly add to the future prosperity of our city, both financially and socially.

Ryan's Sons have struck a bonanza in Men's Embroidered Slippers. 1,000 pairs tomorrow at 75 cents pair.

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For this week at greatly reduced prices. Business suits in sacks and cut-away. Dress suits in Worsted, Pique, Tricot and Fine Cass, cut in Prince Albert and Prince Arthur style. Boys and Children's clothing, overcoats in fine Chinchilla, Kersey and Beaver, Silk, Satin and plain lining. We would advise our customers and friends to call on us before purchasing elsewhere, promising to make it to their interest. Gate City Clothing Store. A. & S. Rosenfeld, 24 Whitehall street, corner Alabama.

Ryan's Sons' big rush in the Shoe department is caused by the great bargains being offered.



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Promptness of the Valley Mutual Life Association of Virginia.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 15, '87. Mr. Charles S. Arnall,

Dear Sir---Having received through you, from the Valley Mutual Life Association of Virginia, a check to cover the amount of a five thousand dollar policy in said company on my husband, I take this means of returning thanks to you for your personal attention in adjusting the above, and the company for the promptness with which they have paid it. Yours respectfully,

MRS. MARY E. HORN. Go to Estey Organ Organ Co., cor. Marietta and Broad, for parlor, church and chapel Organs on easy install-

John Ryan's Sons have opened 800 cases of Men's Shoes, the greatest bargains you ever saw, having been bought at a big forced sale in Newark, New Jersey.

HATS! HATS!

All the latest styles just received. Some very nobby goods, suitable for the holidays. Prices low, at A. & S. Rosenfeld, 24 Whitehall, corner Alabama.

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Pryor street.

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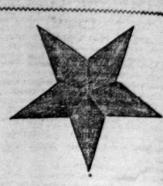
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Comb and see for yo lise it. Just think of it:
Comb and brush in case, 95c.
Comb, Brush and Glass in case, \$1.75.
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That to see them is almost to Buy Them.

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23-inch wax, natural eyes and hair, 5e.

23-inch wax, natural eyes and hair, 5e.

34-inch wax, natural eyes and hair, and natural limbs, extra large, §?

14-inch indestructable, 15e.

14-inch indestructable, 4c.

14-inch Bisque, kid body, 5e.

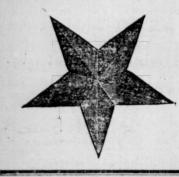
24-inch Bisque, kid body, \$1.25.

Full line of all grades up to \$5.

Recollect, the headquarters for Santa Claus is a my store, and everything he has can be found here

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treasures.

A party of four known severally as Cap, Little Dave, Boy Blue and Old Moss Moore, arrived in a half famished condition about midnight on the lagoon side of the narrow strip of land that guards from the Atlantic surges the long series of tide water sounds, here lining the ocean shore for two hundred miles.

A heavy rain storm of the previous night had A heavy rain storm of the previous night had A heavy rain storm of the previous night had ruined their supply of hominy. As the residue of their "grub" consisted solely of a tomato can full of odorous lard, their hunger was pasily accounted for. Some other campers had their mosquito bars stretched at the boat landing. One of our party discovered a pot of stewed onions and potatoes by the embers of their fire. The appetizing smell was too much for the probity of half starved men. The pot was surreptitiously conveyed to a safe distance in the scrub and emptied quickly of its contents.

"The interposition of that pot of souse is ertainly providential," qouth Cap, the noralizer of the party. "It saves us a while

THE BEACH COMBERS.

BY WILLIAM PERRY BROWN.

During the month, of Argust, in the year 187—, a large iron steamship was blown ashore on a wild portion of the eastern coast of Florida in a hurricane. She was called the Ladona, and was bound to New Orleans from New York with an assorted cargo.

She settled down in the sand with her nose in the air, some two hundred yards from the beach. At low tide one could wade out to within thirty feet of her, the swirl of northeasterly waves having formed a channel all round her bow. The stern had settled down in the fand who was not all found her bow. The stern had settled down in the fand who her coast was very thinly settled by hunters, cowpoys and a few families from other southern tates, mostly driven from their old homes by the resulting exigencies of the civil war. All were boor, the hurricane had rained their crops, so they gathered from far and near to despoil this crippled giant of the ocean of its treasures.

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"Whose pile is this?"

"John Smith's."

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One remembers the petition for deliverance from the would man cladin fine cassimates and a high stilk hat, was seen chasing a floating b

"Whose pile is this?"

"John Smith's."

John Smith would then stand by his pile until all were similarly apportioned, when each man would carry off and care for his own plunder.

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Everybody was short of provisions and every one lived on the wrecked potatoes and onions until, as Little Dave said. "The whole country smelled like a garlic patch."

A shrewd Ohio man saw how things were, and quietly going home, returned in a few days with a boat load of flour, meal, coffee and bacon. That move was considered to have made his fortune then and there. Bacon sold for one pair of shoes per pound, while it took a good pair of boots to secure an equal amount of coffee. As to flour and meal, the men recklessly threw in whole suits of clothes, bolts of jeans and calico and hats and white shirts by the half dozen to obtain enough to last each man for a week or two.

The interposition of that pot of souse is certainly providential," quith Cap, the moralizer of the party. It saves us a while from drawing straws to see which of us shall be saten first.

They steatthily returned the pot, laughing over its owner's probable state of mind on the providence of the providence of the providence of the provisions bring such fancy prices in trade of mind on the provision was laden breeze sweeping over the lagoon was laden bring such fancy prices in trade of the provisions bring such fancy prices in trade of mind or the breakers floated over the and hills with intermittent yet increasing power. At last the mighty sheen of waters and the broad sloping avenue of the beach, sweet clean by the perpetual tides, lay before them. They wearily trod the hard, moist sand, "cing for a convenient place to "spread Fin" for the night.

Tessidore, boys, "cried Little Dave, who was gradle I camp tonight."

Thalls, saying the three whis blanket down beside sight rge pile of Irish potatoes and onions, which the provisions bring store the control of the trade of the beach, sweet clean by the perpetual tides, lay before them. They wearily trod the hard, moist sand, "cing for a convenient place to "spread Fin" for the night.

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yond the saw palmettos at the rear of the sand dunes bordering the beach. That familiar sound recalled the old man to his senses. "Perhaps hit's some varmint after all," said

A dozen half clad men were now standing round bare-footed, and with such firearms as they could lay their hands on. All started en masse for Old Mossy's camp, and found, by the light of a hastily gathered torch or two, a barrel of sugar upset over his bed and the sand confusedly marked by clawlike indentations, not unlike human feet.

"It's a wooly devil, and black at that," quoth Boy Blue, who loved hunting better than eating any time.

ing any time.

With many a whoop and laugh at Old Mossy's expense, the men scattered themselves over marsh and scrub, following Old Foot's

over marsh and scrub, following Old Foot's cheering tones, who seemed to be making it lively for the object of pursuit. In ten minutes fifty half-naked beach combers were carecoring wildly over the sand hills, like a tribe of wild Arabs. Now and then a shot would be fired. Finally, half a mile down the beach, the lover of stolen sweets was laid low by two shots from a party of Bahamians, one of whom owned a Winchester and made good use of it. use of it.

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It was one of the black bears, then common enough in that region, but it was so lean they could hardly blame the poor brute, who, made bold by hunger, had invaded old Mossy's sugar barrel, and tumbled it and himself over the old fellow's bed and person. The master, suddenly roused from slumber, fled in terror; but the dog had courageously put the bear to flight at once.

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Our party continued their wrecking operations for a week longer, when an event occurred that at once terminated all desire on the part of many to further risk themselves on board the ill-fated steamship.

A heavy southeaster had blown for two days, during which no trips to the wreck could be made, while the heavy cable stretching from the vessel to the shore, was half the time invisible beneath the great green "combers," some of which would burst upward into towering high masses abaft the stump of the fore mast and fall over the bow in thundering sheets of foam. The third night the wind lulled, then shifted lightly to the west, blowing off shore, so that by low tide the next day, the sea had greatly fallen, though there was considerable "dead swell on."

It was not long before eight or ten of the younger men were strung along the cable and pulled themselves on beard. The slopping deck was slippery, and the port bulwarks, "hitherto intact, had given away before the two day's battering, and in partisg loose, had torn off a portion of the iron plating of the hull, leaving a gaping hole, through which the sea poured spasmodically, with a hollow, despairing wail.

To descend into the lower hold seemed hazardous, but Boy Blue was the first to tacitly volunteer, by fastening the end of a boat halyard round his waist, saying:

"I reckon I'm about the best swimmer, boys. If I get back all right, one of you can follow. There may be sharks down there, so keep the

rope taut, and when I jerk it, pull me up as though the Old Harry was below."

Boy Blue, like too many other brave hearts, was reckless in his language at times, but the others admired his frank audacity none the less for that. We lowered him to the second deck and as he stood waist deep in water, with his feet on the combings of the lower hatchway, he shouted back:

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"Taint like a lady's parlor below, boys, but And down he sank. They kept a tight grip on the rope and peered over into the seething cavern of water. Boy Blue was nearly as good as a Bahama diver at holding his breath, but his mates grew uneasy this time over his delay in joyking the wone. Finally it was jerked

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"Or a barrel of coal oil."
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Their comments were cut short by the appearance of Boy Blue's back and legs, with two dark, shiny looking arms twined round them. Then they pulled frantically, fearing too, lest the rope should break. His whole person slowly came into view, held firmly in the grasp of other similar horrible, tenacious tentacles.

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The men shudderingly realized his peril, for who has not read or heard of the octopus? The legend of the Kraken and Victor Hugo's graphic description of the devil fish, flashed through Little Dave's mind, as he beheld Boy

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One of their number was the Bahamian who had shot the bear. He was a swarthy, keeneyed fellow, apparently as much at home here as though amid the mangoes and pineapples of Nassau and San Salvador. He carried in his belt a sponger's knife, detached from the long pole whereon it is used. Its heavy, two foot blade rendered it a formidable weapon.

While the rest were staring helplessly, he drew this knife and, descending the iron ladder at the side of the hatchway, severed one of the hideous arms with a bold stroke, at the same time screaming out,

"You pull em—fast!"

The men hoisted away like madmen. Another arm was cut off, and they caught a fleeting glimpse of its dull, cruel eyes and ball like body, as the devil fish released it victim and sank sullenly from sight. It took a good five minutes to revive their comrade, whose back and legs were torn as by a blister, from the powerful suction of the monstor's claws. Boy Blue freely owned up to having, received the "worst scare a fool ever got." The Bohamian, however, after looking at the severed arms that had still clung to the lad's torn undershirt, said a little scornfully.

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This incident caused our party of four to conclude that they had had enough of wrecking for the present, though the Bahama men still descended as though nothing had happened, after arming themselves with sharp knives for a defense against further attacks. But the sight of those gristly tentacles, with a dark coze exuding from their severed extremities, and the rubber like suction cups, that enable the devil fish to cling so cruelly to its prey, effectually cured even Boy Blue, of any further desire to penetrate the mysteries of the Ladona's hold.

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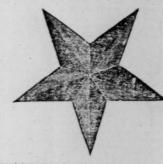


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"I started back at once to join my regiment and revenge the cold-blooded massacre of our fellows. And we did it thoroughly under Sam Houston's command, who was one of the best and bravest men that ever handled a sword. Houston, ex-Governor Pease, Judge Waller and I celebrated the battle of San Jacinto in 1880. Houston died a year or so ago, and I am now the only survivor of the Houston sy

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"Did you take any part in the war of '46?"

"Off course I did. Do you think that when I fought in '36 I would stay away in '46? No, sir; I was among the first to answer to the call, though unfortunately I did not see much of the fight. I was wounded in a guerrilla skirmish before Vera Cruz and was sent to the hospital, but before my wounds were dressed the regiment was off. Major Daniels gave me a wagon and I drove to the city of Mexico to join my company and returned with it to Texas.

"I came to California in the early part of

days."

Mr. Kelly, considering his great age and the hardships incidental to such a life as his is remarkably vigorous. He has never had a day's sickness, unless from wounds, and his memory is excellent. His eyesight is somewhat impaired, and he has all the pioneer's scorn for spectacles. He still, however, takes an active interest in politics, and sets forth his opinions in a manner that brooks no opposition and with a brogue as rich and rare as though he had just stepped ashore from Erin's isle.

### An Attractive Station

From the Washington Ciftic.

Last Wednsday morning First Assistant Postmaster General Stevenson, Colonic New Bell, Su-perintendent foreign mails, and Judge Rogers, M. C., from Arkansas, started up to Somerset, Va., to attend the wedding of Cousul General Turner, ISt. Thomas, W. I., and all went well until they reached Brandy station, six miles north of Culpepper. They were gazing at the Virginia scenery and talking politics, when the train slowed up and the conduc.

Brandy !" The three democratic statesmen jumped up. "What's that;" said General 8, trying to be calm "Hist! Listen!" whiseered Judge Rodgers, with repressed emotion and his band to his ear. "He said brandy, didn't he?" asked Colonel Bell,

eagerly.

"Biendy P' yelled the brakeman at the other end of the car, and the democratic statesmen, with a combined and fervent "thank heaven!" piled out over each other on to be p'atform and into the station.

"Where is it?" asked Colonel Bell, excitedly, when they found the station agent.
"Where is what?" said the agent.
"Brandy, of course," replied the colonel, emphatically. phatically.
"This is it," said the agent, politely.
"What?" said Colonel fe'll, looking around.
"This; this is Brandy station." asserted the agent, politely; and the three statesmen looked at the agent and at each other, and sadly filed bac into the ear.

## Thinks it Extreme.

From the Boston Advertiser. Those Virginia Methodists who lately de-nounced the theater and all its belongings will na-urally be delighted to receive the vigorous support of their South Carolina brethren in the same cru-sade. At the conference which has just been held Beautiful eard cases for Christmas Presents. Foot's Plush Case Depot, 34 White-hall street.

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first street Bapust mission, corner fra and Eads streets. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. by Rev. W. B. Smith. Sunday school at 3 p. m., Henry Hillyer, superintendent. Prayer and song service Thursday at 7 p. m. Singing school on Mondays and Fridays at 7 p. m. by Prof. Jas. E. White. All invited. cobs's Pharmacy.

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First Methodist Episcopal Church South, junction of Peachtree and North Pryor streets—Rev. H. C. Morrison, D. D., pastor. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m. Preaching at 10:45 a. m. by the pastor, and at 7 p.m. by Rev. A. W. Quillian, of Sparing 'Ga. Sunday school at 3p. m., John C. Courtney, superfuriendent, Young Men's prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m. Sents free and everybody condially invited.

Marietta street mission Sunday school at 9 a. m., J. F. Barclay, superintendent.

Trinity church, corner Whitehall and West Beters streets, Rev. J. W. Lee, pastor. Proaching today at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Services at 7 p. m. led by Mr. Wm. T. Cowles, Suday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m. Class meetings Mondays and Fridays at 7 p. m.

Trinity Home mission Sunday school, old barracks, at 3 p. m., W. T. Wilson, superfleendent.

Payne's Chapel, corner Hunnicutt and Luckle streets—Rev. H. L. Crumley, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., A. J. Bell, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor and at 7 p. m. by Rev. W. F. Robison. Prayer meeting and social reunion on Wednesday night. All are cordially invited.

Pierce church, Ira street near East Tennessee show, Roy. W. S. Stevens pastor. Preaching at 11

Wednesday night. All are cordially invited.

Pierce church, Ira street, near East Tennessee shops, Rev. W. S. Sevens, pastor, Practing, at 11 a. m. by the pastor, and at 7 p. m. by Rev. W. W. Wadsworth, presiding elder. Class meeting at 9:30 a. m., Sunday school at 3 p. m., Ulyssee Lewis, superintendent. All cordially invited to these, the first services of the new conference year.

Park street Methodist Church, West End-Rev. A. G. Wardlaw, pastor. Class meeting at 9 a. m. Sunday school at 10 a. m., H. L. Culberson, superintendent. Preaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. W. W. Wadsworth, presiding elder. Everybody invited. No service tonight.

Edgewood Methodist church—Rev. J. F. Mixon, pastor. Preaching today at 11 a. m. Rev. J. Rembert Smith, and social meeting at 7 p. m. led by A. G. Candler. Dr. Mixon will preach morning and night next Sunday. Farewell service on Wednesday night at 7:30 p. m. led by Rev. H. J. Adams.

Merritt avenue church, near Peachtree—Rev. T. J. Christian, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., E. H. Frazier, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday nights 7 o'clock.

North Atlanta mission Sunday school at 3:00 p. m. W. T. Walker, superintendent.

North Atlanta mission Sunday school at 3:00 p. m. W. T. Walker, superintendent, Evans Chapel, corner Stonewall and Chapel streets—Rev. H. J. Ellis, pastor. Preaching at 11 a.m. and at 7 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 2:30 a. m., E.H. Orr, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m. All invited.

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Grace Church, corner Houston and Boulevard-Rev. G. E. Bonner, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m by Dr. W. F. Glenn, prosiding elder North Atlanta district. Sunday school at 9:20 a. m., J. C. Hendrix, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Class meeting Friday night.

Et. Philip's church, Capitol Square, corner Washington and Hunter streets—Rev. Byron Holly, rector, officiating. Fourth Sunday in advent. Sunday school at 9 a. m. Morning service, litany and sermon at 11 a. m. Evening service and sermon at 7.31 p. m. Wednesday, St. Thomas' day, altar service and litany in the chappl at 10 a. m. Strangers and visitors furnished sittings. All are welcome.

St. Philip's Mission of the Redeemer, corner West Fair and Walker streets. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Practice for Christmas carrolls. No evening service. All are welcome.

Good Shepherd chapel Sunday school at 4 p. m. Emanuel chapel, North Atlanta. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m.

Epiphany chapel, Jackson street. Sunday school at 4 p. m.

Rhiphany chapel, Jackson street. Sunday scho at 4 p. m. PRESBYTERIAN.

Marietta street mission Sunday school of the First Presbyterian church will meet just to the right and opposite the Exposition hotel, on Marietta street, at 3 p. m. There will be preaching at the same place on Friday at 7:15 p. m. by Rev. E. H. Barnett, D. D. All are cordially invited.

Central Presbyterian church, Washington street—Rev. G. B. Strickler, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by Rev. Henry Guigg, D. D., of Conyers, Ga. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., Professor W. W. Lumpkin, superintendent. Regular prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Young men's prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

The mission Sunday school of the Central Presby. The mission Sunday school of the Central Presby-terian church will meet at No. 190 West Fair street at 3:30 p. m., B. H. Cameron, superintendent. All are cordially invited.

Rankin's chapel, corner Glenn and Martin streets. Sunday school at 3:30 p. m. Religious services at 7:30 p. m. and also on Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. All are cordially invited. Dr. J. W. Rankin, superinten-

dent.

West End Presbyterian church, Services will be held in the Oak street chapel at 11a. m. by Mr. D. W. McGregor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Geo. B. McGaughy, superintendent, Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:15 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Fourth Presbyterian church—Rev. T. P. Cleveland, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7p. m. by the pastor. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7p. m. Men's prayer meeting Monday at 7 p. m. A cordial invitation to all to attend.

BAPTIST. First Baptist church, corner of Forsyth and Walton streets, Rev. J. B. Hawthorne, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Subject "Something Which Men Cannot Overthrow." Preaching at 7:15 p. m. by Rev. V. McCall, of the Third Baptist church. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Young men's meeting at 7:15 p. m. Monday. Prayet and lecture meeting at 7:15 o'clock Wednesday evening. All are invited.

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Second Baptis: church, corner Washington and Mitchell streets—Rev. Henry McDonald, D. D., pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. by the pastor. Subject for morniog: "Helpers for the Helpless." Subject at night: "Miran, Sister of Moses." Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., A. C. Briscoe, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7 p. m. All are cordially invited to these services.

Third Baptist church, 31 Jones avenue—Rev. W. C. McCall, pastor. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Funeral services of Charles C. Butler, at 7 p. m. by Rev. Dr. Hawthorne. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., W. H. Bell, superintendent. All are cordially invited to attend. Seats free.

Primitive Baptist church, corner Boulevard and

Primitive Baptist church, corner Boulevard and Irwin streets—Elder J. T. Jordan, pastor. Preaching fourth Saturday and Sunday in each month. All are cordially invited to attend. are cordially invited to attend.

West End Baptist Sunday-school meets in Dunn's chapel, corner Oak and Ashby streets, at 3 o'clock p.m. Dr. Wm. Crenshaw, superintendent,
Sixth Baptist Church, 179 W. Hunter street—J. H. Weaver, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Pracehing at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. by the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Young people's meeting Thursday night. All are invited so attend.

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East Athanta Baptist church will hold service at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, T. E. McCutchen. Service every Sunday. Bible studies every Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 3 p. m. In the Fifth Baptist mission on Bradley street, near the end of Decatur street car line. Everybody invited. Seats free.

Ira street Baptist mission, corner Ira and Eads streets. Preaching at 11 a. m. and at 7 p. m. b. streets.

CHBISTIAN CHURCH. Church of Christ—On Hunter street, Rev. T. M. Harris, pastor. Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. Recept on of members after the services; and a 739 p. m. The ordinance of baptism will be administered after the services. Sunday school at 9:3 s. m., W. S. Beil, superintendent. Bible class at 11 a. m., Rev. T. M. Harris, teacher. You are cordially invited.

Church of Our Father, on Church street, near jun-tion of Peachtree and Forsyth streets. Rev. Georg Leonard Chaney, pastor will preschast It a. m. an at 7:30 p. m. Subject: "Pero al Immortality." Chi

are made welcome.

CONGENCATIONAL.

The Church of the Redeemer, corner of Ellis and Church streets. Preaching at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p. m. Sermon in the morning by Rev. Wm. Shaw, in the evening by the pastor, Rev. Geo. R. Turk. Sunday school at the close of the morning service. The public condially welcome. Strangers provided with seats.

Grace Congregational church, Whitehall and Humphries streets, Preaching at 9:45 and at 7:30 p. m. by the pastor, Rev. S. C. Kennedy. Theme at night: "Personal Influence." Sunday school at 2:30 p. m., J. F. Beck, superintendent. Everyone invited.

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### THE M'COY CASE.

The Jury at Ringgold Returns a Verdict of Not Guilty.

THE HISTORY OF THE MURDER. How the Verdiet Was Received in Atlanta-McCoy Again Arrested, This Time Upon a Different Charge.

Yesterday morning, Captain J. W. Nelms, United States marshal, received a telegram from Ringgold, Georgia, from Hon. George R. Brown, announcing in a laconic way the terination of an important murder trial in Walker county. "The jurry finds McCoy not

HISTORY OF THE CASE. On the 6th of December, 1885, Deputy Mar-shall W. D. Kellett, was killed on Lookou mountain, while having under arrest one Calmountain, while having under arrest one Catvin Young. Kellett was found partly in a
creek. At the coroner's inquest Calvin Young
swore that he did not know who fired the shot,
but when afterwards arrested for being accessory
to the murder, and while under arrest, admitted that James McCoy had made him promise
on the night of the killing that he would not on the night of the animal state of the light who killed Kellett threatening to kill him if he did tell. Young said he saw McCoy and the smoke of his gun. McCoy was arrested

the smoke of his gun. McCoy was arrested and tried in Walker superior court in April, 1886, convicted and sentenced to be hanged. The case was carried to the supreme court, and the court below was reversed on the ground of error in the charge of the presiding judge. On Monday last the second trial commenced, with an able array of counsel on both sides. For the state appeared Hon. C. T. Clements, solicitor general; Colonel I. E. Shumate, of Dalton; Judge J. M. Bella, of Summerville; and Mr. T. W. Copeland, of LaFayette. Hon. George R. Brown, of Cherokee; Hon. William C. Glenn, of Dalton, and Mr. C. T. Ladson, of Atlanta, represented McCoy. The trial lasted until Friday. Every inch of ground was stoutly contested on both sides. On the second trial Calvin Young testified that he was under duress, by reason of the threats of McCoy at the coroner's inquest.

On the second trial Calvin Young testified that he was under duress, by reason of the threats of McCoy at the coroner's inquest. Andy Young, one of the witnesses, since the first trial had moved to Arkansas, and was not present. The defense proved by several witnesses that at the time of the murder McCoy was four and a half miles from the place where the murder occurred.

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The counsel for the defense advanced the The counsel for the defense advanced the theory that the murder was committed by Calvin Young, his father and Young brother, and charged the crime on McCoy to sheild themselves. They stressed the point that while Calvin Young testified that the killing was done by a single rifle shot, that the testimony of others was that Kellett's hat was riddled with buckshot when it was found.

The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and McCoy was discharged.

OPINIONS ON THE VERDICT.

Captain J. W. Nelms, United States marshal, in commenting on the verdict, said to a reporter of The Constitution: "You can say for me, that I consider the verdict a gross outrage; there is no disputing the fact that Kellett was waylaid, shot and murdered by McCoy."

McCoy."
Mr. C. T. Ladson, remarked to a representative of The Constitution: "In my opinion, McCoy is innocent. The evidence showed that the Youngs decoyed Kellett that day for the purpose of killing him. The jury was composed of very intelligent men, and their verdict a right."

McCov Again Arrested. McCoy Again Arrested.

Later in the day Captain Nelms received the following telegram from Tryon factory:
McCoy was acquitted and rearrested on the charge of attempt to rape. (Signed) G. B. Myers.
Captain Nelms said he knew nothing about this last charge except that the offense is said to have been committed in Cherokee county

some years ago.

Mr. C. T. Ladson remarked that in his opinion it was an old charge revamped to hold McCoy until papers could be served on him for obstructing an officer of the federal government in the discharge of his duty.

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President National Bank McMinville, Tenn., writes: From experience in my family your Lemon Elixir has few if any equals, and no superiors in medicine for the regulation of the liver, stomach and bowels. Your Lemon Hot Drops are superior to any remedies we have ever been able to get for throat and lung diseases.

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To Dr. H. Mozley, Atlanta.

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THE LEYLEY HOUSE. Mrs. C. D. Smith to Assume Charge Of it-A Few Points of General Interest.

One of the old landmarks of ante-belium days is One of the old laudmarks of ante-belium days is the Leyden house, situated on Peachtree street. It is, we believe, the only old style building in the city, all the others having been destroyed either by fire or old Father Time. The Leyden house has the large columns for which way-before-the-war houses were noted and they are curiosities in architecture. It is well that this house has been preserved, as it is an exponent of a once rich and propugation unifour as to life architecture.

It is well that this house has been preserved, as it is an exponent of a once rich and prosperous nation as to its architectural workmanship. The building has been used for some time as a fashionable baarding house, and has a name that is deservedly popular. The present proprietor, Mrs. Leyden, is to retire, and be succeeded by Mrs. C. P. Smith, who has had control of the Cooledge house, at 22 Houston street. Mrs. Smith will run both of these houses. Herability in this direction is one to be enviced, and no doubt she will make it a success in every way. She has managed very successfully the Cooledge house, and we predict that under the new management both house will receive increased paironage and be kept in finer style, if it can possibly be done.

The Leyden will be refurnished, rainted and made one of the toniest places in the city. You see it is on Peachtree, next the governor's manison, and commands a fine view of the city. Its location is one of the best in the city, and those who board there will have many advantages that are not usually found in common boarding houses. Mrs. Smith will not assume charge till the first of Jantary, and if any one wishes to secure rooms either at the Leyden or at the Coolege, they may apply at 22 Houston. This enterprise of Mrs. Smith is a big one, but we know she is equal to the task, and will conduct both houses to the satisfact on of her guests.

We take the lead for Evening Silks, Laces, Fans, Gloves, Lace Handkerchiefs and Silk Hosiery. Our new stock is just in for the Holidays. M. Rich & Bros.

Take the Fast Train.

Take the new 10 p. m. fast train via the Central allway for Florida. It will put you there at twelve clock the next day. Mann and Pullman Buffet ers run through without change on this train

Emery's fish market, No. 15 Peachtree. Shad wholesale and retail, H. F. Emery. 10t Photograph albums. Cheapest stock south. Thorn-top's book store, 28 Whiteball street. A NEW ORGANIZATION

The Royal Society of Goodfellows Organize -Their Officers. Last Thursday evening the foregoing mentioned society or, anized and elected their officers for the first term. This is one of the best organizations of its kind and will no doubt accomplish much good. Below is a list of the officers elect:

R. L. Rogers, Ruler.
Max Kempuer, Instructor.
J. A. Granding, Counselor.
W. J. Shoeckley, Secretary.
A. C. Smith, Financial Sec'y.
W. T. Wilson, Treasurer.
J. F. Hollingsworth, Prelate.
J. D. Dodd, Director.
J. A. Forsyth, Guardian.
E. H. Cochman, Scutry.

 K. H. Coehran, Sentry.
 J. C. Allen, Past Ruier.
 F. O. Mays, B. F. Bennett, H. Franklin, Trustees CN TO THE SEA.

The Company With the Stupendous Name is Pushing Its Road. The prospects of the Atlanta, Atlantic and Great Western Railroad and Navigation com-

The prospects of the Atlanta, Atlanta and Great Western Railroad and Navigation company are flattering.

Colonel George T. Fry, president of the company, said yesterday, that the prospects were flattering and the movement progressing as rapidly as could be desired.

"What is the distance between Atlanta and Savannah by this line?" was asked.

"Well," observed Colonel Fry, "the distance, allowing for all necessary deflections on account of grades and crossings and to reach eligible crossings of water courses will not exceed 250 miles, which is 43 miles shorter than by the Central railroad, 47 miles shorter than by the East Tennessee, Virginia and Georgia, and 61 miles shorter than by the Georgia railroad via Augusta. The distance from Atlanta to Eatonton is 65 miles; from Eatonton to Sparta 27½ miles; from Sparta to Waynesboro, 57½ miles; and from Waynesbor to Savannah 85 miles, making altogether by air line 235 miles."

miles."

"What is the estimated cost of constructing and equipping this road?" said The Constitution's representative.

"Basing the estimate," replied Colonel Fry, "upon a first-class roadbed, first-class rails, iron bridges, and first-class equipment, the cost will be \$3,500,000 in round numbers."

"What counties will the line run through, and is the outlook for local freight and passengers sufficient to justify building the line?"

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"The line will run through portions of Fulton, DeKalb, Rockdale, Newton, Jasper, Morgan, Putnam, Greene, Washington, Hancock, Jefferson, Glascock, Burke, Screven, Effingham and Chatham. A fair estimate of what the road may expect to do in local business from these counties is \$1,730,306, and adding to this an income of fifty per cent on the local business for through freights, passengers, mail and express matter, a gross income of over \$2,500,000 per annum may safely be relied on."

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"It may be considered advisable," quietly replied Colonel Fry, "to cross the Savannah river at a point opposite Yamassee, S. C., and seek an outlet at Charleston or Port Royal, or both, instead of Savannah. Itl is possible to bridge the Savannah river and connect with the South Carolina system of roads at less expense than to build a line from Sylvania, in Screven county. to Savannah, and procure ter-

Screven county, to Savannah, and procure terminal facilities in the latter place."
"You are pushing the road, then?"
"You can say so, and say that 'onward to the sea' is the watchword, and that no such word as foll in allowed in an allowed. as fail is allowed in our dictionary.

National Union Election Last night Atlanta Council No. 282, National Union, held their annual election of officers for the suing year, with the following result: President—S. R. Johnson. Vice-President—F. D. Bush,

Vice-President—F. D. Bush.
Speaker—J. H. Latimer.
Ex-President—R. G. De Trevillo.
Secretary—John R. Courtney.
Fluancist Secretary—H. J. Ambrose.
Treasurer—L. J. Ellis.
Usher—A. A. Veruoy.
Sergeant-at-Arms—H. J. Baker.
Doorkeeper—W. E. Revnolds.
Trustees—A. B. Bostick, William Hamilton, Oscar
de.

Lee.

Senate Deputy—J. C. Courtney.

Medical Examiner—Dr. N. O. Harris.

This order is in a most flourishing condition. It has two councils in Atlanta, and numbers about three hundred members. Since the establishment of the order here, in April, they have paid \$10,000 death claims. The installation of officers will occur at the first meeting in January.

On last Wednesday evening, December 14th, the members of Loyd Street M. E. Church, on the corner of Loyd and Hunter streets. gave their pastor, Rev. George Standing, a grand reception. Rev. J. B. L. Williams, the invited orator for the occasion, made a telling address, which was responded to by the pastor. The crowd then repaired to the basement, where there was a s mptours feast awaiting thom. Every one enjoyed themselves to the highest, hoping that another occasion like this would soon come.

ship of the Rebunda and Danville system, I can say postively h imp brother has not directly or id rectly been an applicant for the place, that it has never been offered to him, and that he much prefers to relain the position of trafic manager, which he has so long filed. Respectfully,

AADON HAAS.

A FEARFUL WRECK.

Marietta Street the Scene of an Awful Disas-Yesterday morning, just before daylight, Old Santa Claus was driving his reindeers down Marietta street, when suddenly his long sleigh came in contact with the rear end of a street car, and a general collision occurred. Eighteen of the trusty, fine reindeers were killed outright, and only three escaped unhurt. You never saw such a wreck in your born days. Old Santa Claus had a leg broken, and was removed to the place just above Jacobe's escaped undure. You never saw such a wreek in your born days. Old Santa Claus had a leg broken, and was removed to the place just above Jacobe's corner for medical treatment. Mr. L. Snider very kindly tendered his storeroom to the good old fellow, and had all the goods that could be obtained placed in his store. Old Santa Claus says that he will stay at The Place, 10 Marietta street, now till the holidays are over, and has given Mr. Snider the disposition of his entire sto k. Mr. Snider is a good fellow, and will let all the by sand girls have toys and Christmas goods just a cut like Old Santa Claus would have done. Go up tomorrow and get what you want.

Brush Cases or Toilet Sets in Celluloid. Amber, Burnt Ivory, etc. Many more designs. Jacobs's Phar-

Ten Dollars for the best set of Dickens in Georgia

Ryan's Sons have just received another lot of those 29-cent double width all wool Nothing Flannels. like them elsewhere under 75 cents.

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ing cases - A very them and select before handsome line in "roll- they are picked over. up" flaps and box pat- Prices will be made to terns, at Jacobs' Phar- sell. Chamberlin,

## Old Santa

On the Road. Loading up all along the Line of March. More Generous than ever before.

Good old Santa Claus is on the go again an will reach the end of his journey next Sunday morning about 3:47½ o'clock. It is reported that his reindeers are literally tired out and

that his reindeers are literally tired out and his sleigh cuts the snow badly as it is loaded to its utmost. Just before reaching this city, he will strengthen his team and take on the last and best of his gifts.

He had sent word to Messrs. E. H. & J. R. Thornten that he wanted a large assortment of albums, scrap books, Christmas cards, whisk broom holders, blocks, plush goods, brackets, work boxes, music boxes, writing desks and fine stationery in large quantities. These goods Mr. Thornton says he has, and will supply the good old man if he arrives in time, which, no doubt, he will. It may be probable that Mr. Thornton will have more than can be utilized by Santa Claus, and he requests you to call and look over his large assortment of Christmas goods, and get some of them yourself.

christmas goods, and get some of the following self.

Mr. Abe Foot, the leading Whitehall trunk manufacturer, received last night the following telegram, which explains itself:

GIFTDOM, S. W., December 18, 1857.—Mr. Abe Foot, Atlanta, Ga.: Dear Sir—I un ierstand that you have a large as o timent of the most elegant plush goods to be tound in all the land. I want as many of them as you can spare me, and judging from the reports that come to me that you will have none at all left, I make this early order that I may be sure of them. I also want some of those strongly built, stylish and cheap trunks. The trunks can be utilized to pack the plush goods in. S. ve them followed in the startday night. Yours with joy.

Mr. Foot says notwithstanding this im-Mr. Foot says notwithstanding this

Mr. Foot says notwithstanding this intermense order, he will be able to accommedate the public. His store is one of rare beauty and he excels in all plush and leather goods.

Mr. J. H. Nunnally is at work this week. In fact, he had to employ several extra hands, to prepare his large orders for the holidays. As I passed by the doors of his salesrooms yesterday. I heard some one cry out:

prepare his large orders for the nondays. As I passed by the doors of his salesrooms yesterday, I heard some one cry out:

"Get back and let me get these barrels out, or the whole babyland will be upset." These fine French candies must be sent off tonight or Santa Claus will not get them. J. H. Nunnally has the entire contract of supplying candy for the old man and it is because his candies are pure, fresh and good for the children that he received the order.

Why, do you not know, said the prettiest one of Mr. Nunnally's young lady clerks, that we have more dolls than all the other stores in town and that we sell them low down. Well, it is so and you need not laugh, that is not all either, this is the only first-class toy house in the town and we sell dolls by the thousands, velocipedes by the car load, and doll carriages world without end. Come in and get a baby jumper for your little one. A grin and a blush, a blush and a grin alternately stole over the young man's face. As quickly as possible be left and said that J. H. Nunually had the blush, a blush and a grin alternately stole over the young man's face. As quickly as possible he left and said that J. H. Nunnally had the most toys he ever saw and one of the prettiest and cutest clerks in Atlanta. Did you say there was a thousand people in High's store this morning at one time? Well, yes, and we'll stick to it. If they were not all in, they were out on the sidewalk trying to get in. You see he stated in last Sunday's Con-

in. You see he stated in last Sunday's Constitution that Santa Claus would make his place headquarters this week. The truth of it is, that everybody and a few others came out to see, and found it exactly as stated. The pretty things that High has not got for Christmas presents, have not been thought of, and it is likely will never be. That High is a genius, and knows just what everybody, and Santa Claus thrown in, wants, and he will get it for them if he has to buy everything in New York and London.

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It is useless for me to try to tell you what he has got. Just come in, when you can get in, and see for yourself. It is the great distributing center for Santa Claus. Jim, I say, hurry up there with that dray, and send me another one as anickly as you can: these goods another one as quickly as you can; these goods must go or old Santa will sue Thomas & Co. must go or old Santa will sue Thomas & Co. for damage: How is that, said a passer-by. Well, you see, we contracted in the early fall to deliver to old Santa so many dolls, velogipedes, vases, fancy crockery, doll carriages and ten thousand and several hundred other toys, novetties and bric-a-brac, and now the old fellow is pushing us. We could fill his orders, but the people howing that we have got exerciting pushing us. We could fill his orders, but the people knowing that we have got everything and a little more, come armed and buy for themselves. You see we have been here a long time and the people know just exactly where to go when they want toys or anything else in our line. Why, sir, we have sold hundreds of the nicest kinds of baskets this week, and if our trade keeps up, we will dispose of everything in that line. Ladies let me whisper something in your ear; if you want anything for holiday gifts, Thomas & Co., 100 White-

Would soon come.

[Communicated.]

Electrons Constitution: Referring to a rule of alluded to by your Washington correspondent concerning Mr. Sol Hars and the general manager ship of the Reduced and Danville system, I can favorite queen, and of the many good and favorite queen, and of the many good and beautiful things that Great Parr had stored away in his temple. Put these all together and you have what I saw at M. Rich & Bros.' away in his temple. Put these all together, and you have what I saw at M. Rich & Bros.' yesterday morning, and it was called the parlor of Santa Claus. It was so beautiful that it needed not another adjective to describe it, or article to beautify it. Silks, satins, and every thing that is beautiful and useful; plushes, velvets, ribbons, elegant brica-brac in abundance, and finish that has never been surpassed by the fastidous Carthagenian queen. Do you want to see something that will elevate you, that will please you, and that will satisfy you, be sure to visit the Santa Claus parlor at M. Rich & Bros, this week. We cannot describe it, and you will have to go yourself to get the full effect. Mr. Rich says he will keep open every night this week to accommodate the public. You had better take advantage of this, for some of you will never see another Christm's in this world, and there may be none in the one to which you are going.

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Old Santa has no place in all his broad domain where he keeps a greater assortment of elegant outfit for the ladies than at Baker & Woolman's No. 3 Whitehall. The finest laces and dress trimmings he buys here and carries off to adorn the beautiful suits of his good children. These live men have had more than they could do for the last ten days measuring off laces by the yard and by the bolts and selecting dress trimmings for the great number of people who crowd their store. Yesterday afternoon their store was a sight to behold. It looked like everybody in Atlanta was trying to get in their store and secure one of the many bargains that were offered. This firm makes a specialty of ladies and gents furnishing goods and the very finest line at the most reasonable prices has placed them at the top.

Dunlap Hats, correct styles. McKeldin & Carlton, sole agents.

Come in this week and select your Xmas present before the rush. Our stock of art and fancy good has no equal in Atlanta. Thornton's Art Store.

MUST GO. We have a large and well selected stock of holiday goods of the latest designs. They must be sold at some price next week, as we are determined not to Gentlemen's travel- carry them over. See Johnson & Co.

THE OPENING

# HILLMAN, GA.

No More High Rates to be Charged, But Boarding Houses are Being Erected in Addition to a First Class Hotel. So as that Patients Can Be Accommodated.

Nothing will be more gratifying to the public than to be informed of the fact that the new extension known as the Electric Health Resort, located at Hillman, on the Washington branch of the Georgia railroad. This resort will be opened on the 22d instant. Rates of board at the hotel will be \$1.50 per day; at boarding houses \$1, so as the crippled, with limited means, can come to this won ler of the age for treatment and be cured. Rates for setting in

electric rooms is \$1 per day.

The shaft, as it is called by some, consists of an excavation in the ground about eight teet deep, twelve feet wide and fifty feet long, besides a large alum rock fifty feet long and fourteen feet perper dicular, with a spring in each room set back in under the rock. This excavation is divided into three rooms with steps leading up into the waiting room, which is in connection with the springs, and is fifty feet long and twenty wide stoves in this room so as the patients can come up and warm when they get cool. There are also three large lights over the electric rooms four by eight feet long so as one can sit in these and read nicely, even on a cloudy day. From this rock flows a heavy current oi thermal electricity, which is so penet ing to the persons as to soon charge them with electricity, so much so as to produce severe shocks, and even for weeks after the patient returns home can this most wonderful power be felt. The gale i can this most wonderful power beta. The gate is so strong from this yast rick (though solid it is) as to blow a slip of paper from it though you may be holding it fully six feet from away. Wonderful cures have been made with parties from California and Wisconsin in the last few days, and there are now being made some grand cures with patients from other portions of the country. For rheumatism, neuralgia, dyspepsia, kidney trouble, nervousness, and as for the ladies with there many troubles, we dely the world to show one cue where this mystery of nature will produce ten. There is nothing to strengthening to the weak and feeble as this great-est of nature's gifts for suffering humanity. It is certainly exciting to see strong men quiver under its mighty touch, for at no time when fifteen or twenty are there but that two or three of that numenemy are there out that two or three of that num-ber must leave the rock because of its powerful effect on the patient. The properties in the rock are driven into the body readily—alum, iron, mag-nesia and other minerals. The color in a few hours becomes a door or first sp. b. comes a deep crimson.

Don't fall to read P- H. Snook's ad in this edition, "Augusta Evans Wilson's" new book, only \$1.75

We offer all of our Cloaks at manufacturers cost. We are determined not to carry any over this season. M. Rich & Bros.

Shulhafer & Co., a Promising Young Firm Skilled workmanship always wins. It is use less for incompetent workmen to cope with those who are experienced and who thoroughly understand their business. We presume that no house in the southern states has a more competent force of hands then that of Messrs. Shuthafer & Co. on Whitelal street. Every man connected with the estab Lall street. Every man connected with the estab-lishment is a workman and more than that he is an experienced practical workman. Atlanta has for α long time needed just such an establishment as she now has in this trustworthy and accommodating house. They make a specialty of plumbing and do not try to run their business in connection with a stove and tin shop. They do what they do, and don't bite off more than they can thoroughly attend to. This very fact is a jointer to those who desire first-cless plumbing and should not be passed over without due consideration. These gouldenen carry an excellent line of steam and gas fixtures, and are an excellent line or steam and gas fixtures, and are ready at all times to serve you. Their brackets, chandeliers, globes and other goods are beautiful in design, and comprise a stock from which one can easily make a choice selection. We might talk to you all night about these gentlemen, but it will do you no good and we will stop right here by saying that you can trade with no better house in this county than that of Shullimer & Co. Try them.

S. P. RICHARDS & SON. 37 Whitehall Street.

H. bliday Goods, Chr. stmas Cards, Books in Holiday
Bindiug, Dickens Works in 15 volumes, only \$7.50.

Mr. John H. Lovejoy and Mr. J. Melrose Selkirk wish to inform their friends that they can be found at the book and stationery store of S. P. Richards & Son, 37 Whitehall street. su mon tu Young man it will pay you to call early and se-act your Xmas present from our stock. Thornton's art store, 28 Whitehall street.

We have some lovely Evening Silks, Laces, Fans and Gloves, all to match, for New Year's reception toilets. M. Rich & Bros.

We call attention of dealers to card of Messrs, Zuberbier & Behan in this issue. They are owners of some of the largest sugar plantations in Louisiana, and extensive dealers in New Orleans molasiana. es and sugar.

Atlanta Original Water Cure, 61 Wheat Atlanta Original Street,

By Dr. F. Von Kalo. For the cure of all chronic diseases. Diseases peculiar to women, Neuralgia and rheumatism, specialties. Recommended highly by all. Fall and winter season best time for treatfrism we

Useful Holiday Present—a pair of those elegant Slippers at Mc-Keldin & Carlton's.

COLOGNE. All makes and styles at Jacobs's Pharmacy.

See our Christmas goods. We are closing them out this week. Chamberlin, Johnson & Co.

Fresh fish at Emery's market. 

## Electric Health Resort PEYTON H. SNOOK'S CHRISTMAS DISPLAY

-IS THE-

## Next Wednesday, Dec. 22d. MOST MAGNIFICENT EVER SHOWN IN THE SOUTH

The warerooms, pavements and streets are ablaze with rich and ele gant furniture.

I have over 1,000 beautiful Chairs and Rockers, Cabinets, Easles, Desks, Tables, Tripods, Fancy Hat Racks, with hundreds of fancy Cabinet articles

## Not Found in any Establishment in Atlanta

nounce it the most complete assortment of HANDSOME FURNITURE

These goods must be sold this week, and it will pay you not to buy

Visitors from New York and the Eastern cities unanimously pro-

they ever saw, and I know no firm in Atlanta can show these goods, or anything similar.

Think of buying a nice Rattan Rocker for \$2.50. Handsome Glass Wardrobe, \$30.

Elegant Hat Rack, \$15.

until you have seen this rare display.

Beautiful Antique Dining Suit, \$60. 50 of the most elegant and artistic Chamber and Parlor Suits in Antique Oak, Mahogany, Cherry and Walnut, from \$100 to \$1,000.

200 Rattan Rockors at actual factory cost. 1,000 Children's Chairs, lower than anybody will sell them.

25 Chiffoniers, from \$10 and upward. 200 Baby Jumpers.

50 Office Desks. 25 Office Tables.

## Specialty New and Tony!

The "ELY," the "DIDO," the "CLARENCE," and the "VARIETY" Rockers. These Goods must be seen to be appreciated.

Now, I only have one thing to say in conclusion. If Recorder Anderson will do me the favor to chain his "minions of the law," and give me half a chance, I will surprise everybody that passes up Marietta street this week, and sell

## \$10,000 WORTH OF FURNITURE.

At the same time over six hundred

## Parlor and Chamber Suites.

At actual Factory Cost. Select your goods early in the week, and have them sent out day before Christmas.

## P. H. SNOOK.

Saloon Fixtures. Beer Coolers, Etc.

The Brunswick-Balke-Collender Company, of Cincinnati, have opened a branch house on the corner of Bread and Alabama streets, where they have on sale a first-class line of saloon fixtures, consisting of bar counters; sideboards, mirrors and frames, beer coolers, billiard and pool tables, and all kinds of saloon furniture. Their agent, Mr. J. H. Spilman, is in charge, and will be pleased to furnish estimates and designs on office, bank or saloon firmiume in any kind of wood, and will guarantee satisfaction. They have now in stock several handsome saloon outfits, both in walnut and cherry, or can make special outfits to order on short notice. The firm is well known throughout the country, and for the superior quality of their werk have never Saloon Fixtures. Beer Coolers, Etc. and for the superior quality of their work have had an equal. They have a competent wo direct from the factory, who will set up any sold in the city. Anyone wanting fur line will do well to give them a call.

See Lieberman & Kaufman's advertisement in en cent column of fine holiday goods. fri sat suu THE GREAT KENNESAW BOUTE.

\_\_W. & A. R. R.\_ The following time card in effect Su November 27, 1887.

NORTHBOUND—No. 3 EXPRESS—DAILY. Leave Atlanta... Arrive Dalton... No. 1 EXPRESS-DAILY. No. 14 ROME EXPRESS-Daily except Sur ..3 45 p m ..6 59 p m No. 17 MARIETTA EXPRESS—Daily except Sunday 

Leave Atlanta. Leave Atlanta
Arrive Chattanooga

Stops at all important stations when signaled.

THROUGH CAR ARRANGEMENTS
No. 3 has inst-class coach, daily, Waco, Texas, to
Atlanta without change.
No. 1 has either Mann Boudoir Buffet or Pullman
Palace Buffet and sleeping cars, daily, Jacksonville
to Cinclinanti without change, and first-class coach,
daily, Jacksoz-wille to Chattanooga without change
and without extra charge.
No. 14 runs solid to Rome
No. 11 has either Pullman Palace Buffet or Mann
Boudoir Buffet Sleeping car, daily, Waveross to Cintinuati without change, and has Pullman Palace
sleeping cars Atlanta to Chattanooga, open for passengers at 9 00 p m.
No. 19 has Pullman sleeper Atlanta to Nashville
without change, and first-class coach Atlanta to Little Rock without change.

SOUTHBOUND.—No. 4 Express—Daily.
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Leave Chattanooga
Leave Dalton
Arrive Atlanta
Stops at all inportant way stations,
No. 2 EXPRESS—DAILY. No. 20 EXPRESS-DAILY.

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Stops at all important way stations No. 12 EXPRESS - DAILY. Leave Chattanooga...... No. 14 ROME EXPRESS -Daily except Sunday. 

Real Estate. Real Estate Sam'i W. Goode & Co.'s Real Estate BARGAINS TODAY

9 room dwelling, with kitchen, 2 servants' room, large carringe house, barn, garden nicely fenced, on lot 119x230 feet; house alone cost \$5,000; jaid \$5,700; must be sold this month; a great bargain; property only ten minutes' walk from Wi itehal carline. carline.

5750 for 3 room hionse on lot 34x400 feet, on east side
Plum street. Terms 1/2 cash, balance to suit pur-

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1270 for good 5 room house on lot 50x150, on Martin street. Terms easy.

2250 for elegant home, Park place; 6 rooms and all modern improvements, with gas, etc.

Two large stores on South. Broad and South Forsyth streets for sale at a bargain.

3,700 for nice, Georgia avenue home, of 5 rooms, lot 50x171; termseasy.

750 for nice lot on Pine street, 50x125 feet.

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\$30, one of the prettiest on this beautiful street.

\$2000 for three small stores on Decaturstreet; 30 feet front by 200 deep. Terms cash.

\$3000 for nice, suburban home in the pleasant little town of West End; lot 65x175; nice cottage of seven rooms; water and shade; terms liberal.

\$9000 for one of the nicest and most convenient homes on Carl of avenue; eastern exposure; 10 rooms; lot 101x245. Very liberal terms.

\$6000 for choice Whitehall street home, east front, dwelling new, commodicus servants house, etc. Easy terms.

\$4000 for 5 room dwelling near Jackson street car line, on Forest avenue; good neighborhood.

\$600 for 5 room West Simpson street dwelling.

\$650 for 4 room dwelling on Mill street.

\$550 for 2 room house of 3 rooms on North Bell street.

\$500 for 2 room house on lot taxed on these street.

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\$3500 for 7 room dwelling, lot 45x103, corner Ellisand Calhoun street.

\$2200 for house of 5 rooms on Hunter street.

\$2200 for Lys street house of 5 rooms, 40x150 feet.

\$4500 for Lys street dwelling of 6 rooms on lot 50x10.

\$2500 for East Baker at reet house and lot 30x100.

\$2500 for Courtland avenue lot with 4 room house, lot 67x140.

\$2000 for 4 room dwelling on lot 50x50, North Pryct.

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x1590 for 4 room cottage on lot 30x157, Merritt's and \$1000 for 3 room house on Butler street, near Fester. \$1100 for Boulevard home of 4 rooms of keye lot. \$1500 for Fitzgerald home 4 rooms.

2000 for East Baker house and lot 50x100, 7 rooms.

2000 for 6 room dwelling lot 60x110. Jackson street.

\$1250 for Farker street residence, lot 90x100.

\$1500 for 4 room dwelling on James street, near Cain. \$1600 for 3 room house, lot 52x120, on North avenue, \$1000 for 4 room house and lot 50x100, on Williams,

mear Cox. \$2250 for 5-room house and lot, 50x120 on Perchant \$1800 for 6-room house and lot, 45x76; corner Spring and Simpson.

Salfs for nice home, six rooms; lot 56x112; south
Pryor street.
Crew street home of 10 rooms, lot 10 x 200; price \$250.
Capitol avenue house and lot, 5 rooms; price \$250.
South Pryor street house and lot, 50x200; price \$250.
Large 9 room house and lot, 66x125, on Smith street
price \$4600.
Elegant Capitel avenue home, lot 50x200, cast side,
\$2000.

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Naw 6 room cottage, with nice lot, 50x150; Howard street, between the Feachtrees, price 55,000.

Wanted—A number of small cottages with from 510. Trooms, to supply demand from numerous contents of siring to real.

\$5,000 for a West Harris street home, with cray convenience, a lot 100x200 feet, fruit and had, stables, barn, etc. Easy payments. Very near Francher, a present the stables, barn, etc. Easy payments.

\$5,000 for a new 7 room central Ivy street collaborate deals well be lit, in good taste, folding doors to deals the lit. \$7000 SEP! PRETEREOGRA PRIATECULE & CO

COURT AND CAPITOL.

What was Done in the Departments Yesterday.

MANY CASES IN THE COURTS. Bevenue Trials, Convictions and Acquittals

-More Arrests Other News of Interest. The United States courts are busily engaged the trial of Georgians who have been so in-iscreet as to break the revenue laws. A good ents yesterday.

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The case of Lowry, administrator vs. Singmos was called in superior court chambers yesterday and was postponed to Saturday, twenty-fourth instant on account of the indisposition of Mr. Frank Arnold, solicitor of com-

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The case of Lewis vs., Burns was on trial gesterday before Judgo Marshall J. Clarke in chambers, and was not finished when the adjourning hour was reached. This is an application for an injunction and receiver to take charge of the rents and profits of some improved property in west Atlanta. The bill is brought to set aside some tax titles and also a judicial sale. The court postponed the further hearing of this case to the 7th of January. Messrs. Hillyer & Bro. and Colonel Broyles represent the complaint, and Colonel Broyles represent the court, and was in favor of the plaintiff, awarding her \$400. The young lawyers, Messrs. Mayson & Hill, conducted the case for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Pendleton & Goodwin represented the city.

The Federal Conrts.

Several Cases were disposed of in the district court of the United States for the northern district of Georgia yesterday. Thomas Crambley, of Fannin county, was convicted of illicit working and sentenced tonce month's imprisonment; D. F. Walkers, of Franklin county, was acquitted of the charge of illicit distilling; Will Fitts, of Lumpkin county, was found guilty of distilling and sentenced to two month's imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$100; Charles Paine. of Green county, entered a plea of guilty of retailing, and was required to pay a fine of \$100 and be imprisoned for one month.

I. D. McCullum, of Franklin county, so the lary decided, was guilty of of illicit working. He was remanded to jail to await sentence.

In the Circuit court yesterday the following cases were disposed of: Jeff Bell, of Cherokee county, convicted of working and sentenced to one month imprisonment. John Janes, of Henry county, entered a plea of guilty to distilling and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and to six months imprisoment. Thomas Walker, colored, of the same county, entered a like plea and received a like sentence.

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United States Commissioner Gaston, at Gainesville, committed Stone to Fulton county jail in default of bond.

Deputy Marshal Grant arrested George Franklin in Habersham county. In default of bond, United[States Commissioner Haight committed Franklin to Fulton county jail.

George Maddox, of Bartow county, in default of bond was committed to Fulton county jail by United States Commissioner Collins.

Deputy Marshal McDonald arrested Lewis Stone on Friday, near the line between the counties of Pike and Spalding, nineteen miles from Griffin. Twelve months ago Stone was captured in a blockade still in Habersham county, and was committed to Fulton county jail Messrs. E. H. Howard and Whaeler went on Stone's bond, but when Stone's case was called in court he was not to be found. Deputy Marshal McDonald discovered that he was employed as a guard over convicts. He therefore went down Friday and picked up Mr. Stone and brought him back on a bench warrant. Yesterday Mr. Stone pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four month's imprisonment in Fulton county jail and to pay a fine of \$100.

McConnell & James's large stock of Underwear at manufacturers cost this week.

Great hargain's in chikben's autograph albums and scrap books at Thornton's. decic-tr

Experience at the Exposition.

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Buy a bottle for a Caristmas present. It is never sold in bulk.

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209 for house and lot 60x190 on Courtland avenue.
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2Peachtree.
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8109 for 4 room cottage on lot 50x157, Merritt's ave. 8109 for 3 room house on Butler street, near Foster. \$1109 for Boulevard home of 4 rooms of large lot. \$1509 for Fitzgerald home 4 rooms. \$2000 for East Baker house and lot 50x160, 7 rooms. \$2000 for 6 room dwelling lot 60x160, Jackson street. \$1250 for Parker street tesidence, lot 90x160. \$1500 for 4 room dwelling on James street, near Cain.

\$1600 for 3 room house, lot 52x120, on North avenue. \$1000 for 4 room house and lot 50x100, on Williams, mear Cox. 82200 for 5-room house and lot, 50x120 on Peschiree

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Pryor street.
Crew street home of 10 rooms, lot (0x200; price \$550.
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Interest.

The Capitol.

In the executive department yesterday as secretaries were busy in the examination of applications for annuities to disabled soliers. A large number were passed up, but a full larger number found defective, and had

asure of success as his distinguished lattices been blessed with.

Mr. W. T. Movers yesterday filed a bill in aity in the superior court, which possesses me peculiar features. It is the case of R. B. elley vs. T. A. Warren and is in the nature an injunction. It is the object of the plaint if to restrain Warren from asserting any interest in the plaintiff's drug business at No. Decatur street. The plaintiff and the degraphic recently connected in

Mr. Frank Arnold, solicitor of con-This case involves the ownership 000 insurance on the life of the late Smith. The United States Life. In-

Smith. The United States Life In-ompany has paid the money into the Mr. Engene Thornton, as temporary and the money will be readily forth-whenever a judgment is reached, ment to be had next Saturday will be rer to the bill and for a permanent From the large amount of money a great legal battle is certain to occur. Simmens.

and was not finished when the ad the add was not himshed when the add hour was reached. This is an applican injunction and receiver to take the rents and profits of some imporerty in west Atlanta. The bill is oset aside some tax titles and also:

al sale. The court postponed the further of this case to the 7th of Januarys. Hillyer & Bro. and Colonel Broyle sent the complaint, and Colonel Fry an rank Arnold appeared for the respondents of the respondents of the respondents of the respondents.

The JURY WAS out all night in the case of Mrs. Pleasant Alexander vs. the city of At lanta. The suit was for damages. The ver dict was rendered yesterday morning in the city court, and was in favor of the plaintiff awarding her \$400. The young lawyers Messrs. Mayson & Hill, conducted the cast for the plaintiff, and Messrs. Pendleton & Goodwin represented the city.

entered a like plea and received a like sen-tence.

The FOLLOWING ARRESTS for violation of

Deputy Marshal John Knox arrested Charles

McConnell & James's large

stock of Underwear at manu-

Great bargain's in children's autograph albums and scrap books at Thornton's decisit

Experience at the Exposition.

Miss E. A. McCrorey, of Gladden's Grove, S. C., white that while at the exposition she purchased a sottle of Taylor's Fremium Cologne, used it on her handkereidef, which, after being washed three times, retained its fragmut odor.

Buy a bottle for a Caristmas present. It is never

Jewelry by A. L. Del-

kin & Co., 93 White-

facturers cost this week.

partments yesterday.

What was Done in the Departments Yesterday. MANY CASES IN THE COURTS.

The United States courts are busily engaged Samples of extracts the trial of Georgians who have been so in set as to break the revenue laws. A good iness was transacted in the diff given away, at Jacobs's Pharmacy.

Candy! Candy! Candy! Candy! Candy! Candy!

To the fathers and mothers of the city: I take this opportunity of letting you know that I now am working day and night in order to get my Christmas candies made, I will have in my retail department the very best of sorted cin lies that can be made, and guarariteed to be strictly pure. I have been in the caudy business for the last twenty three years, and I will stankly state that I have manufactured and sold more candy in the last two weeks than I have ever done before—15,000 pounds stick candy, 10,000 pounds fancy candles, and every pound guaranteed to be strictly pure. I will state that my factory is open at any time so the public can see for themselves the kind of sugar my candies are made of. This is something no other factory will do, so if you want pure goods call at 59 East Alabama street. Respectfully,

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Oysters, finest and best, at Emery's market. Don't Be Deceived. You can only buy the genuine Taylor's Premium Cologne in bottles with label on it. It is never sold in bult.

Cash paid for second-hand furniture and all house hold and office goods. Packing furniture and household goods promptly attended to at L. M. Ives's, 27 Marietta street.

Finest line of photo frames in plush, bronze, brass and hard wood, at Thornton's, in Atlanta. 16,568 rolls new wall paper, received by M. M. Mauck since first of October.

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Save money by buying holiday goods at Thornton's.

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The Federal Courts.

Several Cases were disposed of in the district court of the United States for the northern district of Georgia yesterday. Thomas Crambley, of Fannin county, was convicted of illicit working and sentenced toone month's imprisonment; D. F. Walkers, of Franklin county, was acquitted of the charge of illicit distilling; Will Fitts, of Lumpkin county, was found guilty of distilling and sentenced to two month's imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$100; Charles Paine, of Green county, entered a plea of guilty of The new city directory of Atlanta is now being printed at the Constitution Job office. All parties who have changed either their business, style of firm or residence since their names were taken, will please notify the publishers, R. L. Polk & Co., 72 and 73 Gate City Bank building, so that proper corection may be made.

Oysters in bulk and can at Emery's,

ment and to pay a fine of \$100; Charles Paine, of Green county, entered a plea of guilty of retailing, and was required to pay a fine of \$100 and be imprisoned for one month.

I. D. McCullum, of Franklin county, so the lary decided, was guilty of of illicit working.

He was remanded to jail to await sentence.

IN THE CIRCUIT court yesterday the following cases were disposed of: Jeff Bell, of Cherokee county, convicted of working and sentenced to one month imprisonment. John Jones, of Henry county, entered a plea of guilty to distilling and was sentenced to pay a fine of \$100 and to six months imprisoment. Thomas Walker, colored, of the same county, entered a like plea and received a like sen-Decker Bros. matchless Pianos for cash or installments. Estey Organ Co., Marietta and Broad streets. revenue laws are reported: eputy Marshal J. L. Edwards arrested acs Jacques in Catoosa county on a bench

Don't fail to read P. H. Snook's ad in this edition Milk depot for sale, see business chances. "Free Joe" and other stories by "Uncle Remus at Thornton's.

Immense stock of Gents' Slippers for Holiday trade, 75 cts to \$5, at McKeldin & Carlton's.

Deputy Marshal John Knox arrested Charles Payne, of Greene county.

United States Commissioner Gaston, at Gainesville, committed Stone to Fulton county iail in default of bond.

Deputy Marshal Grant arrested George Franklin in Hahersham county. In default of bond, United States Commissioner Haight Committed Franklin to Fulton county jail. George Maddox, of Bartow county, in default of bond was committed to Fulton county jail by United States Commissioner Collins.

Deputy Marshal McDonald arrested Lewis Stone on Friday, near the line between the counties of Fike and Spalding, nineteen miles bom Griffin. Twelve months ago Stone was captured in a blockade still in Habersham county, and was committed to Fulton county jail Messrs. E. H. Howard and Wheeler went on Stone's bond, but when Stone's case was called in court he was not to be found. Deputy Marshal McDonald discovered that he was employed as a guard over convicts. He therefore went down Friday and picked up Mr. Stone and brought him back on a bench warrant. Yesterday Mr. Stone pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four month's imprisonment in Fulton county jail and to pay a fine of \$100. Fleece-lined fireside Comforts at McKeldin & Carlton's.

For Sale. A fine lot of shaving cases at cost; must go this week, from \$1 up to \$5. 81 Whitehall street. Picture frames made to order by skilled workmen at Thornton's picture and frame establishment, 28 Whitehall.

Whitehall.

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Collar and cuff boxes; all the newest and most desirable patterns of single and Old Gold and Silver double boxes, at Jataken in exchange for cobs' Pharmacy. Watches, Clocks and

Emery 8 market for Christmas supplies. deci4-10t Go to Estey Organ Co. for Piano on install ments.

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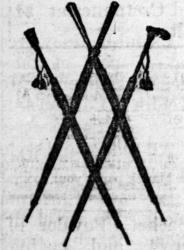
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During this week bargains in groceries will be numerous. Royal layer figs, triple crown, worth 30 cents per pound, for 20 cents per pound. Christmas coffee, fresh parched. Dehess cluster raisins, worth 35 cents per pound, for 25 cents. Beautiful Leghorn citron still selling for 25 cents, is worth 35 cents. The best even mixture of all kinds of new nuts, worth 30 cents. Thurber's plum pudding, Atmore's plum pudding, all size cans, 10 cents obseper than usual price. Larrabee's fruit cake, from 2 to 5 pounds, in handsome cans, only 40 cents per pound. Turkeys by the dozen and Cape Cod cranberries, dark berry, dry and fresh, only 15 cents per quart. Don't forget your celery, we will have an abundance to supply the whole trade of the city. My friends, we wish you could appreciate our bargains, we only mention a few we intend giving this week, and if you have never visited our store be sure and call this week. If you wish any of the fireworks you saw at the exposition we have them. We have handsome garden set pieces, elegant for law display. We have also the telescope reprating of the fireworks you saw at the exposition we have them. We have handsome garden set pieces, elegant for lawn display. We have also the telescope reprating rockets, as well as parchute rockets, and sell 40 pack box of firecrackers for \$1.20. Be sure and tell your boys where to get their goods.

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Daily Weather Bulletin.

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What Major D. A. Cook Says About At-

A representative talked yesterday afternoon with Major D. A. Cook, one of the city's assessors and receivers. Among other things, he said:
"The tax books in 1882 showed Atlanta's wealth to be \$23,735,809; in 1886 they footed up \$31,268,420, showing an increase for the last four years of \$7,532,551."
"What is the cause of it?" the reporter asked.

"What is the cause of it? the reporter asked.
"Why, the continual increase of people here who come to stay. I think we have, at least, five thousand more people here today than we had three years ago."
"Is that so?"
"Well, do you ever think of the many new faces you meet in the streets every day? Why, ten years ago, I knew every man within the city limits. Atlanta is growing, and there is nothing that will stop her. I think there is more money in Atlanta dirt today, than there was at the first auction real estate sale in the city, which was in 1851, and made by Marcus A. Bell, near where the Calico House once stood."

"How about assessments? Are there no in-stances where an over assessment is made?" "Hardly ever; in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred it would bring on sale ten per cent more than its assessment." "How many taxpayers have we in the

"Over ten thousand, and ten years ago there were but a few over three thousand. There is no doubt about it in the world, the population of Atlanta has increased twenty-five thousand in the last ten years. The Piedmont exposition did our people a vast amount of good, and certainly will be the means of augmenting our population to a wonderful extent."

"Who are the largest taxpayers in the city?"

city?"
"Well, I would not like to give names, but I will state that we have many that pay on from one hundred thousand to a quarter of a million dellow."

What did the general tax as far back as 1870 amount to?"
"It amounted to \$107,315.16."
"What in 1886?"

"It was \$455,158.80."
"This shows an increase in sixteen years of 3387,843.64."

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"Yes, that's so," answered the major.

"Have we had many new improvements in
the way of machinery in the last two years?"

"Well, yes several. In my opinion we should
offer more inducements for men to build machine shops. For instance, exempt all buildings and machinery for say, twenty years, taxing only the land. This, it seems to me,
would encourage machanics to come here and
build up our wasted lands, and in ten years
from now we could boast of having seventy-five
thousand inhabitants."

IVY STREET SCHOOL.

A New Principal to Be Elected Next Thurs

A New Principal to Be Elected Next Thursday Afternoon.

Six applicants for the position of principal of Ivy street school, made vacant by the promotion of Dr. Smith from that school to the head of the Girls' High school, stood their examination yesterday. They are gentlemen who occupy high positions in other schools, and are prominent educators in the state.

Yesterday morning they met in Major Slaton's office. From 9 o'clock till 3 they were subjected to a rigid examination in Latin, Greek, arithmetic, algebra, geometry and English history. The examination was conducted in writing and the papers all indicated a high order of scholarship—far above the average. Superintendent Slaton, who conducted the examination, says he was favorably impressed with the applicants, and that the board of education cannot make a mistake in choosing any one of them. The committee on examination will pass upon the papers at its next meeting—Tuesday afternoon. There will be the regular monthly meeting of the board of school commissioners next Thursday afternoon. Considerable business of importance will be transacted. Among other things a new principal of Ivy street school will be elected.

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The Bee Hive.

Note-Every little girl not over ten years old ma have one guess at the number of seeds in the great squash. The lucky one to receive the large and beautiful doil on exhibition in our show window. The great squash is to be opened and the seeds counted on Monday Poecenber 29, 1887, at ten a mode at committee of Indices or gentlemen disinterested. The name of any little girl who desires an opportunity of securing this great prize may be registered at the entrance of the Bee Hive, as one of our clerks will be there to attend to them. We will be bodyed to do this on the outside or entrance of the Bee Hive, as the rush will be so great that we could not fully attend to the little ones otherwise. Little ones, remember this is open to all, and you are not obliged to make a purchase of goods to secure a chance for this valuable doil. Now, come and register. Who will be the lucky little girl to possess the beauty? Yours respectfully,

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POLITICIANS AT WORK

To Make the Most Out of the President's Message.

WORK OF THE FISHERIES CONGRES man Mills, of Texas.

WASHINGTON, December 18.-[Specia ntitles of the president's me

ge that it will seriously injure dem es. The republicans are placing es where they will do the most goo eratic managers are filling the for ad meadows of the great northwest as Both parties are firmly convinced nov tates of Minnesota. Wisconsin, and Michigae going to be doubtful ones at the next parential election. The tariff reform senting

said to have grown amazingly in the aces of recent years, and this fact causes a mocrats to be jubilant. But the republicans grow corresponding lated when they think of Pennsylvan New York, Massachusetts, so the situation really is that be of the great parties are really in abject fear

Washington are last rolling off their countle copies, and the message is being read by co-zens and voters who never before even hear of such documents save in the vaguest way.

That redoubtable Maine statesman is thoug
to have somewhat blundered when he sent i famous cable message over the ocean. This to be seen in the comments made by some the more influential republican papers, co ments not at all favorable to Mr. Blaine. There is a growing pentiment, too, that before next election the union flag will have the

the next election the union flag will have the more stars, the present territories of Dako Montana and Washington becoming more a all of these be admitted, it is within t bounds of mathematical demonstration the vote of the new states could decide a pretial contest, but it is on the other hand he dential contest, but it is on the other hands that even if they are admitted into the uniduring the pending session that they will be given the right to exercise their voti franchise before 1892.

It is one of the most hopeful signs of a contest that there and not the contest that there are the state of the contest that there are the contest that the contest that

stantly increasing country that three and p sibly four great states have prepared the selves for national admission.

The fisheries congress which has been in sion for some weeks has adjourned for Christmas occasion, the English ministers posing to spend the same some where in Came visiting friends. Nothing has been learned the work of the commission what progress it has made towar a settlement of pending negotiation. Mr. Joseph Chamberlain continues to be a social lion of the hour, and has been the cipient of more entertainments and invition than any one who has previously visit

Washington.

The secretary of the treasury has subn a report to congress advising the construc-of a large marine hespital in New York. strange the government has never underta-this work before, for in regard to its im-tance there can be but little doubt.

The detailed report, with accompanying e mates, will go a long way towards bringing matter favorably before congress, and its portance is so generally understood and appreciated that the project will be generally to the second of the control of t favored. The secretary has fully kept about and has himself to be in full a with the growing needs and provements of the country. The appretion only asks for a quarter of a million do but it is not likely that this sum will ava there is no available land about New Yor

such a building, unless a fabulous sum Senator Butler's bill in regard to rail conductors is regarded as very importan provides for a chief examiner, whose se as a conductor, shall have been at least ears; under him shall also be district eners, at least two to each district. Appli must satisfy the usual mental, moral and ital requirements, and in addition must been a brakeman or surface railroad han at least one year. Then he gets a licens one year, subject to revocation for spec teasons. The bill was suggested by the tional Association of Conductors, and

possibly pass.

Any gossip about a man occupying as portant a place in congress as Representa Mills, of Texas, must be interesting. As chairman of the ways and means mittee, he is undoubtedly the democ leader on the floor, especially so by reason his high position. He is a native of the sicana district, and has been in congress: een years. About fifty-five years old,

cossessed of a commanding figure, above everage, and gifted with such features a nake him a marked man anywhere. He is a bold, brusque sort of a man, a nore likely to win by hard blows that diplomacy. And yet physically his-feat are not course, but on the contrary he rather a handsome, though broad face. D ing plainly, he seeks not to attract unusual tention, but invariably does so when he spe He talks like a man of his statue would, his words are like blows from the big han of the old-fashioned smith.

the most popular men in Washington, and present position is generally conceded to merits. His wife is said to be as fascinatin manner as she is handsome in appearance, the two, husband and wife, are de Mr. Mills has a splendid career before and is likely to fill it to its full measure of

With those who know him well, he is on

Speaker Carlisle, in addition to his properties of which is well known, will also deaver to convert the east to his tariff viand it is now announced that he will add the democracy of New York in Tammany next Thursday.

The rumer telegraphed last night about interview between Randall and Carlisle so to have been confirmed. Congressman Mof Texas, chairman of the ways and in committee, had a long interview with president yesterday and it is supposed that hape of the tariff bill to be reported was jubject of discussion.

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ubject of discussion.

If the agreement reached by Randall Jarliale be true, there is no question about arly introduction of a bill to repeal the acco tax. This concession seems to leen won by the persistency of the Virginal North Carolina democrats.

The action of the republican national lean calling upon the republican senator otta against the confirmation of Mr. Lat is thought, will have no influence, especially the confirmation of the con